

BOMB EXPLODES! THREE ARE KILLED AND NINE WOUNDED.

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Imprisoned By Man Who Claimed Her As His Wife.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—Mrs. Marie Ray today secured a warrant for the arrest of her husband's brother, Wade H. Ray, on the charge of abduction.

The woman declared to the Prosecuting Attorney that some time ago she found herself the object of her brother-in-law's affections, but that despite her repulses, he continued to enforce his attentions.

Last week, she said, he appeared at her home, and, brandishing a revolver, declared her to be his wife in the sight of heaven.

Under pain of death, he ordered the woman to accompany him to his rooms and Mrs. Ray, in terror, complied, hoping that something would intervene to save her.

She alleges that for six days Ray held her prisoner, until he relaxed his vigilance, and she finally made her escape.

The police are searching for the accused man, whom Mrs. Ray asserts is insane.

COLLINS' DEFENSE

Accused Lawyer Will Contest Along Technical Lines.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—The case of Attorney George Collins, under indictment for alleged bigamy, came up in Judge Lawlor's court today, but on motion of the defendant, was postponed for one week.

It is reported that the case will be contested along technical lines, and Collins has fortified himself with the assistance of a couple of noted attorneys.

The family of the woman who claims to be his first wife has engaged an attorney to assist District Attorney Byington in the prosecution of the defendant.

DETROIT GOES AGROUND

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The Navy Department today received a cablegram from Rear Admiral Bradford, commanding the Caribbean squadron, stating that the Detroit had gone aground at Puerto Plata yesterday and that her port propeller was totally disabled. Admiral Bradford left Santo Domingo City for Puerto Plata yesterday to investigate.

HIGH PRICE FOR FRUIT

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—Three boxes of peaches arrived today from Vacaville. They were of the Alexander variety, rather small but in good condition and sold at \$1.25 per box. Several crates of cherry plums were received from Ramsey and sales were made at \$1.25 per crate of four baskets. They were highly colored and

GOVERNOR NEARLY MURDERED



THE HOPE OF RUSSIA: ADMIRAL ROZHDESTVENSKY, COMMANDING THE BALTIC FLEET.

Fatal Accident to Workman Saves Life of Russian Official.

WARSAW, Russian Poland, May 19.—A workman, who was trying to avoid the observation of two detectives on Miodowa at noon today, stumbled on the curb of the sidewalk and a bomb which he was carrying in his pocket exploded, killing the workman, both the detectives and several persons who were passing by.

It is believed the bomb was intended for Governor Maximovich, who was expected to pass the spot on his way to the cathedral to attend the services in honor of the Czar's birthday.

The bodies of the victims were literally blown to pieces. A cafe near the scene of the explosion was entirely demolished, all the windows in the neighborhood were smashed and a lamp post was torn out of the ground.

The first report was to the effect that a bomb had been thrown among local officials, who were on their way or returning from the cathedral and caused intense excitement.

Later, it is stated that only the workman and two detectives were killed, though two passersby were severely injured and others slightly hurt by fragments of the bomb.

When a correspondent of the Associated Press reached the scene the mutilated remains were still lying in the roadway, portions of them being on the sidewalks, twenty yards distant. The roadway was covered with debris.

The authorities are convinced that the bomb was intended for the Governor-General. It now develops that he was attending the services at the cathedral which is situated a few yards from the scene of the explosion. All

CHICAGO STRIKE TO END

Officials Say Trouble Will Be Declared Off By 24 Hours.

CHICAGO, May 19.—Mayor Dunne said today that he had learned from a source not connected with either side of the teamsters' strike, that the strike will be called off within 24 hours.

Notwithstanding the statements of Sheriff Barrett and Mayor Dunne, C. H. Cook, of the Teamsters' General Strike Committee, said:

"I have heard nothing whatever of such a settlement as the newspapers are printing today. The strikers are instructed and have promised to take no information from the papers. The men positively will not go back to work until the strike has been settled officially."

Delegate Stevens of the Department Store Drivers' Union admitted this afternoon that matters would be brought to a focus by the rank and file of his union at a meeting between the union men and some of the employers. The National Executive Board of the Teamsters' Union came to Chicago this afternoon. The board members met in the office of the American Teamsters' Union. Secrecy guarded the session. President Shea was not present and few officials of the teamsters' joint council.

CHICAGO, May 19.—"The strike will end tonight or tomorrow morning. There was no claim of victory or defeat by either side. The employers will take back the teamsters who are worthy and desirable men and who have not violated the law."

This declaration was made by Sheriff Thomas E. Barrett today and was confirmed from several sources. Sheriff Barrett began at once to call in the extra deputies engaged in guarding wagons of the Employers' Teaming Company, and discontinued the appointing of new deputies. Mayor Dunne asserted that he had no information from a source in which he has implicit confidence that the strike will come to an end within 24 hours or within 48 hours at the latest. There will be no formal declaration of a calling off of the boycott, he said. The men who are reemployed will quietly go back to work and the ban will be lifted without demonstration of any sort.

The police were called to Clark and Lake streets today to rescue a teamster on an "Employers' Teaming Company" wagon which had become stalled in a rut. The wagon was loaded with good for Reid, Murdoch and Company and was protected by one policeman. When the wagon became stalled a crowd of 2000 persons gathered, jeering and hooting at the non-union teamster. Becoming bolder, the crowd began to throw decayed fruit and other missiles. A riot call brought twenty-five patrolmen who forced their way to the wagon and rescued the non-union teamster. No arrests were made.

President Shea of the Teamsters' Union, when told of the declaration of Mayor Dunne and Sheriff Barrett, said:

"There is no man in this world that has the power to call this strike off or make any such settlement. The teamsters' joint council alone has that power. The council has not considered any such proposition."

PRESBYTERIANS MEET

FRESNO, May 19.—The Cumberland Presbyterian General Assembly began the day by electing a Moderator's Council of one representative from each synod to assist the Moderator in appointing committees.

The item presenting the returns of the vote on union was referred to a special committee composed of Dr. Templeton, Rev. T. A. Wigginton, Rev. J. J. McClellan, Judge Beard and Judge Young. The committee was instructed to canvass the votes and present a full report at noon tomorrow.

WIFE MURDERER IS EXAMINE



JOHANN JOSEPH HOCH, WHO WAS TODAY SENTENCED TO DEATH. "Bluebeard" Hoch Must Hang Says Jury—Women Faint in Court.

CHICAGO, MAY 19.—THE JURY IN THE CASE OF JOHANN HOCH FOUND HIM GUILTY OF WIFE MURDER TODAY AND SENTENCED HIM TO DEATH.

When the verdict was announced, Hoch stood in a stupor. He nodded his head. He seemed unable to realize what was said. After a moment of silence he asked the question: "Another one?"

No person understood what he meant. A bailiff tapped him on the shoulder and tried to bring him to. Several women who had been awaiting the verdict, fainted in the court room.

In the commotion that followed Hoch

CHINESE HANGED

Pays Penalty As Lawyer Pleads With Governor

SAN RAFAEL, Cal., May 19.—Lee Look, the Chinese, highbinder, whose attorneys up to the last moment made strenuous efforts to save his life, was hanged this morning at San Quentin prison. The execution was without special incident, and the physicians pronounced the man dead twelve minutes after the trap had been sprung.

Lee Look killed Lee Wing at San Jose in 1901. He was found by the police firing shots into his victim's prostrate body. He was convicted on three trials, and his lawyer was this morning trying to secure a reprieve for a week from Governor Pardee.

INJURED IN WRECK

LOWELL, Ind., May 19.—The fast eastbound mail train on the Monon route struck a broken rail near here today. The sleeper, which contained ten passengers, was derailed and seven persons were injured, but none seriously.

DISCUSS DISEASE

Say Tuberculosis Patients Should Be Given Freedom.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, in its sessions today discussed many phases of treatment and sociological problems entering into the questions constituting the objects of the association.

The pathological section of the association confined its work to the strictly technical features embraced under this head. The sociological section considered a symposium of argument relating to sanitary treatment.

One of the points of interest brought out in this discussion was that every effort so far made to establish self-supporting communities or settlements of tuberculosis patients had proved a failure. Nevertheless a partial support had been accomplished under carefully directed industries in the open air.

It was the general opinion that all cases of tuberculosis should be allowed

WIFE MURDERER IS EXAMINE RAILROAD EMPLOYEES

Southern Pacific Would Have Only First Class Workmen.

[Special to THE TRIBUNE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—An order of vital importance to railroad employees has just been issued, requiring that every applicant for employment on the Southern Pacific system shall pass a physical, as well as mental and moral examination.

The order was issued today by Dr. F. K. Ainsworth, the chief surgeon and manager of the hospital department and it will go into effect June 1st.

A fee of \$1 will be charged the applicant for examination and this will probably cause considerable discussion among railroad men. The order has been approved by E. E. Calvin.

Heretofore only the engineers and firemen underwent physical examination and they were not required to pay a fee, but today's order requires that every applicant, with the exception of the section and construction laborers, shall pass satisfactory physical examinations before acceptance in the employ of the Southern Pacific Company.

Officers, agents, foremen and others who employ labor are directed to see that the new order is enforced. The order further reads that "in addition to the physical examination, as well as an examination of the personal records of employees, each applicant shall be examined as to vision, hearing and color perception."

The railway authorities say that the new order is to prevent accidents, as well as to generally improve the service, but there is considerable complaint among employees who fear that the order will work a hardship on them.

ed to remain at large where proper care of the patient was maintained and proper sanitary requirements observed to protect members of the family in which the patient resided.

Nowhere except in New York is there legal authority to compel the retention of a patient against his will. Such authority, it was argued, was most desirable.

Speaking of the lax enforcement of the sanitary regulations by municipalities, Dr. J. P. C. Foster, of New Haven, said he arrived at the Boston station one night at 12 o'clock. On all of the station walls he observed large signs stating that \$100 was the fine for expectorating on the floor. On the floor were enough evidences of the violation of this law to support with the collected penalty a state institution. His conclusion was that either such laws should not be enacted or that they should be enforced.

WATCHED BY FRANCE

SAIGON, French Cochinchina, May 19.—Forty-three colliers, mostly Russian and German, are anchored off Nha Be under the supervision of the French gunboat Carondec. Twenty similar ships are off Cape St. James near here, under the supervision of the French cruiser D'Assas.

The Russian transport Kieff is still in the commercial port of Saigon.

No more direct news of the Russian fleet is expected here beyond what might be received from refugees should fighting occur in the neighborhood of Pescadore Islands.

DEWEY IMPROVES.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Admiral Dewey, who was taken sick last Saturday night, was reported much better today, but is not yet able to leave his residence.

BANKERS' ASSOCIATION HE LOST HIS HOME

ADJOURNED

Radical Change Made in Selection of Officers—Routine Matters Transacted.

The Convention of the California Bankers' Association, at 12.30 o'clock today, adjourned sine die, after a most interesting morning's session, during which the constitution was amended in several respects, an address on "Financing the French Revolution," was delivered by Professor Stephens, a bank money was recommended, thanks were rendered to the Oakland press and bankers and the officers for the year were elected.

NEW OFFICERS.

The new officers are as follows: President, I. F. Moulton, cashier of the Bank of California, San Francisco; Vice President, G. W. Pettier, California State Bank of Sacramento; Secretary, J. H. May, of the First National Bank of Pasadena, L. G. Burpee, cashier of the First National Bank of Oakland, F. L. Lipman, of the Wells-Fargo-Nevada National Bank of San Francisco, T. Harrington Colusa Bank, and W. C. Patterson of the Los Angeles County Bank, G. W. Kline of San Francisco, treasurer and R. M. Welch, of the San Francisco Savings Union, secretary. Both Mr. Kline and Mr. Welch have filled their respective offices almost from the time of the organization of the Association.

DEPARTED FROM CUSTOM.

The Association departed from the custom it has thus far observed, namely of rotation in office, from the position of chairman of the Executive Council, to Vice President and thence the President.

The force of this departure was felt, in a special manner, by Frank Miller of the Colusa Bank, who, for the past year has been Vice President of the Association, and who, under the old practice, should have gone up to the position of President of the Association.

WORKING OFFICIALS.

That a new custom had been decided upon was made known when the Committee on Nominations reported. This Committee comprised Chairman C. W. Bush, D. Edward Collins of this city and H. P. Goodman.

Mr. Bush said that while Frank Miller, formerly of the National Bank of D. O. Mills, of Sacramento, had rendered great service as a member of the Executive Council and as an officer of the Association, and according to the old system, should be promoted from the position of vice president to that of president, still the committee had decided to recommend otherwise in view of the fact that Mr. Miller was no longer a working bank official.

There was, he said, no law of the Association which provided that the president should be a working officer of a bank, but the committee had decided to recommend that only working bankers be elected to the position of officers of the Association, and had decided to recommend for the position of president I. F. Moulton. Mr. Miller is now a director of the Napa Bank.

Several other names were recommended as presented above, and among them was that of A. W. Naylor, president of the First National Bank of Berkeley.

TOO MANY NAMES.

Secretary Welch said that the names of six people had been recommended to all or vacancies.

The committee was referred back to the committee to eliminate one of the candidates for the Executive Council.

NAYLOR LOSES BY LOT.

When Mr. Bush reported, later, he announced that the six names had been put into a hat and one of them had been drawn out and that it had proved to be that of A. W. Naylor of Berkeley.

The owners of the remaining names were endorsed by the Association for the places named. Mr. Miller, who had lost promotion, endorsing all the candidates recommended.

GROUP SYSTEM.

The session opened with a discussion of the group system of representation of banks in the Executive Council, with San Francisco, Sacramento, Fresno and Los Angeles as the center of groups.

On suggestion of J. K. Lynch, of San Francisco, the subject was favorably recommended to the Executive Council, to prepare a by-law, permitting the establishment of the group system, and to present the same at the next annual meeting of the Association.

BANK MONEY-ORDERS.

Secretary Welch read a letter from the American Security Company, suggesting the establishment of a bank guaranteed money-order.

The recommendation was supported by F. L. Holland, of the Western National Bank, San Francisco, and a res-

olution was adopted providing that the money-order plan devised by the American Bankers' Association, and now in use, be adopted by the members of the California Bankers' Association. It was further resolved that the Association co-operate with the members of the American Bankers' Association for the purpose of extending this new feature of banking.

REPORT OF AUDITORS.

The report of the auditing committee showed that the balance in the hands of the treasurer at the last report, May 20, 1904, was \$1,913.85, receipts of dues from members, \$7,720, making a total of \$9,633.85. The disbursements amounted to \$7,494.33, of which sum \$1,664.70 was expended in attempting to punish criminals who had committed crimes against members of the association.

LENDING TO BANKERS.

Commissioner Eldridge of the California Bankers' Association was called upon and said that while he had never spoken in his life he desired to say that there was one feature in the address of Mr. Pettier which involved against the excessive lending by banks of money to officers and directors of banks which he strongly approved.

The banker he claimed, was the custodian of trust funds. Such a man, he claimed, could not be expected both as a borrower and a lender to exercise the same judgment with reference to the disposal of the property of others as he would against one who did not bear the same relation as himself to the bank. The banker Mr. Eldridge said, should not permit himself to even dream of lending money to a person for his own personal interest. From one-third to one-half of the failures reported had grown out of that practice.

CONSTITUTION AMENDED.

Article III of the constitution was amended, abolishing the position of a vice-president for each county and leaving the control of the organization vested in the president, first vice-president, secretary, treasurer and an executive council.

Other amendments require the executive council to meet immediately after the adjournment of the annual convention, and a quorum of five members being present, to elect a chairman.

The executive council was empowered to "fill out the year" by holding the annual convention in the fall and fill vacancies in offices of the association and the executive council.

Meetings of the executive council may be called by the chairman when such are deemed necessary, and must be called by the secretary when so directed in writing, by five members of the committee.

The same council was empowered to raise and disburse funds for the purpose of carrying out the plans of the association.

The executive council was also empowered to make use of funds authorized for their use by the by-laws.

The dues were raised to make them \$5 for banks with a capital and surplus of \$100,000, \$10 for a bank with a capital and surplus of more than \$100,000 and \$20 for a bank with a capital and surplus of more than \$250,000, and not exceeding \$500,000, \$30 for a bank with a capital and surplus of more than \$500,000 and not exceeding \$1,000,000, and \$25 for a bank with a capital and surplus of more than \$1,000,000.

The executive council was authorized to annually call for in addition to the regular annual dues a sum not exceeding the amount of the annual dues for members for the benefit of a protective fund to be used for perpetrators of crime against members of the association.

Prof. Morse Stephens delivered an interesting address on the "Financing of the French Revolution."

Greetings of the association were ordered sent to J. M. Elliott of Los Angeles who was presented by illness from attending the convention.

RESOLUTIONS.

The report of the committee on resolutions was adopted as follows:

"That the thanks of the association be extended to the newspapers of Oakland for their full reports of the proceedings."

"That Mr. George S. Meredith of Oakland having declined to sign this supplementary resolution, the committee presents it for your consideration."

"That collectively and individually our most cordial thanks be given to the bankers of Oakland for their splendid entertainment and for personal and warm-hearted hospitality which has accompanied them."

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AT COUNTRY CLUB.

This afternoon, the delegates were entertained at lunch at the Country Club and in a ride around Oakland and vicinity.

TOMORROW'S PROGRAM.

The program for the entertainment of the visiting bankers tomorrow is as follows:

Excursion by Key Route Ferry steamer "San Francisco," from Oakland Harbor up to San Francisco, landing at Mare Island. Lunch will be served on board. This excursion will start from the foot of Broadway, Oakland, at 10 a. m. and on return will land at the Key Route Pier, from which point electric cars will convey excursionists to Oakland, where they will be met by the Key Route ferry boat.

JAPANESE REPULSED.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 19.—A dispatch from General Linvitch dated May 18, says:

"A small detachment of the enemy May 16 occupied Yandi Pass in front of the armlets. The Japanese also attempted to occupy Shaholze, but were repulsed and retired southward. The same day the Japanese approached Honukhu, about six miles south of Taul, but were forced to retire."

Eloping Wife Had the Right to Sell Her Home.

With the home in which he has lived for twenty years sold over his head by his wife unknown to him who has run away with the money and a younger man, Carl Nilsson must once more go out and gather together sufficient money to build him another home. By a decision handed down by Judge Ellsworth this morning he holds that a deed made by Mrs. Emma C. Nilsson to Antonio A. Sarment is a valid document, and that it was not necessary for the husband to have signed it to make it valid. The broad question of whether under any circumstance it is necessary for both husband and wife to sign a deed was not passed upon as this particular instance the Judge held that Nilsson had acquiesced in her possession of the property sufficiently to make him believe that it was her separate property.

After a few months ago she left him, she had become infatuated with a younger man, and it is reported that they are now at Tonopah. A few days after her flight Nilsson was served with a notice by Antonio A. Sarment to move out, as he had purchased the property for \$2,800. Nilsson claimed that his wife had no right to sell the place and brought suit to have the deed set aside.

Attorney Sam Bell McKee represented Sarment, while Arnold & Stewart represented Nilsson, and after several days of trial a decision was reached this morning which gives the purchaser the property. The point made by Nilsson's attorneys was that in the year 1884, at the time the property was purchased, the law presumed that the property in either the husband or wife's name was community property, and it was alleged that this was sufficient notice to Sarment that he needed the signatures of them both to make a valid deed.

In answer to this Attorney McKee held that the present law is that a deed in the name of either husband or wife is presumed to be his or her separate property, and as such but one signature is needed. While this point was argued at some length, Judge Ellsworth without having to pass on this question decided that Nilsson by allowing the property to be assessed to his wife and insured in her name acquiesced in her possession, and he would have to construe these acts as having been in the nature of a gift and that this property was her own.

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BANKER M'GAULEY GOES ABOUT HOME NAKED.

Wife Says He Frightens the Servants and She Wants a Divorce and Alimony.

Comanche or insane? is a question Minna T. McGauley asks about James F. McGauley, auditor of the San Francisco Savings and Loan Association to whom she has been married for seven years, but says that she is but a wife to him in name only. She has now brought suit for divorce and the matter came up this afternoon on a motion for costs and alimony. In her complaint she states that had it not been that she married him against the wishes of her parents, and for the shame and degradation of it all she would have left him within a few days of the time they were married.

While in his office hours she states McGauley is one person, at home he is a different one. He roams the house naked, she says and declared he is insane or a monomaniac on the subject of food, hygiene and religion. Instead of going out and taking the Kneipp cure on a dew bedecked lawn before sunrise he ranges their home in nature's own garb and in this connection says "He is in the habit of arising at unseemly early hours and roaming about the house stark naked and attends to all manner of household affairs in this garb of nature to the utter consternation, terror and dismay of plaintiff."

Baking a peculiar kind of bread is one of his favorite pastimes at such hours, and she states he will go down into the basement of their home and grind the cereals and stuff, without covering, averring that the cold is a skin tonic. He is an amateur photographer, as well, but his wife states that he says that he cannot develop his plates with his clothes on, so strips to the skin when he enters his darkroom. Life with him has been one long drawn out nightmare to her, and she says that at times she has believed that she was going insane herself.

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WOMAN RELEASED

Mrs. Harrison Not Held For Death of Mrs. Biroth.

Both Coroner Mehrmann and Chief of Police Hodgkins are investigating the death of Mrs. Jennie Biroth of 529 Twenty-second street, who died at the Fabiola Hospital under circumstances indicating a criminal operation. In attempting to fix the responsibility several persons have been questioned, but as yet no arrests have been made.

According to the facts in the case Dr. J. R. Fearn was called to the Pacific Home on Tuesday last. Mrs. Biroth complained of being in very great pain and was given some simple remedies. She rapidly grew worse, however, and Dr. Fearn was again called to the home on Wednesday morning. At that time she was in a very bad

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WHY AND WHY SO FAST DO
THOSE CARS RUN? ASKS
TAXPAYER.

Editor TRIBUNE:—With the exception of the residents on Webster street, I am proud that few of you readers know that a couple of electric cars are running between the club rooms on Fourteenth street to the head of Lake Merritt; that at all hours of the day and night these cars, to the dismay of everybody, are capering through the streets and turning sharp angles and corners at a rate of speed that would make Tom O'Shaner's mare, when feeling from hob goblins and ghosts look as though she had turned back in her flight.

The dwellers, however, who live along this car line, are well aware of the danger, noise, the smoke and clouds of dust, enlivened by electric sparks, these empty cars kick up. They remind one of a comet's tail in its flight or perhaps the fire department when out on a lark.

It is not wished to enquire here how or by whom a franchise was obtained and put in a double track on the only street left for private conveyances between the city and the lake, but it is a fact of all about it and who is deriving any pleasure or profit from the enterprise?

We have had a meeting on Webster street, this morning, at which you came to our relief and drive away this "buggy man", or, speaker during the "we shall see" of the morning, however, and grating noises caused by swinging around the corners at the rate of twenty miles an hour—speed which is more than double that permitted by law. I beg to assure you that the dear public will not be inconvenienced by the suggestion to slow down. As yet there are no tender sweethearts waiting for their lovers at the other end, nor sad-eyed mamas and then children waiting for belated papas. This true busy mud-hens might become lonesome at times and long for the company of the conductor and engineer with his big search light, but a few seconds would not be noticed when they graze upon the green pastures of the margin of the lake and listen to the bullfrogs' gentle croak at the terminal station, and would not be a bad thing if the company would see to it that the courtesies of the road were tendered occasionally to the ladies and they be given an evening in town when they could see the Mayor organizing the Board of Health, the Realty Syndicate at work, and the sights about town, and then be served with a monopoly at the hotel to the \$1 per day tourists, without being half shot to pieces by pot hunters for the sake of a few cents to the mud-hens could be discontinued should the time arrive when the cars may be needed for other purposes. During this tentative period, however, something should be done to relieve the tension and stop the racket to the nerves of children, and the old folks, and the St. Vitus' Dance, and curtail the sale of Alcock's plasters, and Garfield tea along the route.

Now my dear "TRIBUNE" you know everything; you are a good friend and have prospered in our midst in advocating the right, just take a few out of these law-breakers and see that we get a

PLACED ON RECORDS

Contracts have been awarded by the Regents of the University of California to Nelson & Heldt for all the work except the masonry and carpentering for an addition to Hearst Hall for the sum of \$7,000.

Kidder & McCulloch have been awarded a like contract by the Regents for the addition to Harmon Gymnasium for the sum of \$10,300.

A contract was let to the Columbia Marble Company by the Regents for the marble and mosaic work for California Hall for \$3,617.

Robert Daltell Jr. Company has been given the contract for completing the boiler, heating and ventilating system of California Hall at a cost of \$4,487.

The Standard Electrical Construction Company has the contract for wiring the Hall at a cost of \$1,437.

Christine Burden has given Albert A. East a chattel mortgage on her piano and sent cash advance to secure a loan of \$125.

Millard C. Merrell as guardian of the estate of Elizabeth Merrell, an incompetent, has sold her interest in a piece of property on the north side of Twentieth street, between Broadway and Washington, to the Pacific Coast Realty Company, a part of the Palmdale tract.

Charles C. Hall has purchased a valuable piece of Berkeley property on Hillside avenue near Prospect street from the Donahue-Kelly Banking Company. The bank taking a \$4,000 mortgage as part payment.

The Western Novelty Machine Works has given Samuel Livingston a chattel mortgage to the machinery at 601 Broadway to secure a loan of \$500.

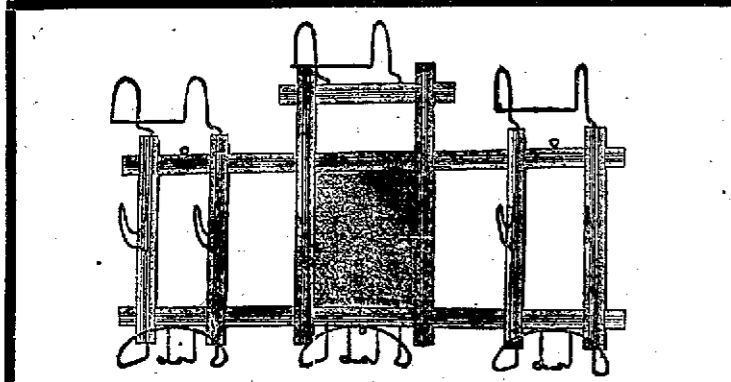
C. P. Van Dyke has given Thorup & Assmusen the contract for the erection of a two-story house for stores and flats on B street, between First and Main streets in Hayward to cost \$5,362.

Eisenbach has given George E. Forz a chattel mortgage on his machinery at the corner of Union avenue and the Southern Pacific tracks at Emeryville for a loan of \$950.

T. Moller has given G. H. Snellhorn the contract to build a 2-story house on Willow street and Alameda avenue to cost \$2,200.

EXCURSIONS TO WILLITS

On Sunday, May 21, the CALIFORNIA NORFOLK STEAMSHIP CO. will run an excursion to Willits. Each ticket sold includes a seat, fare for the round trip to Market street, San Francisco, at 7:30 a. m., and on the return leave Willits at 1:30 p. m. Tickets now on sale at 650 Market street and Tiburon Ferry, S. F.



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BANK DEPENDS UPON ITS STABILITY.

Interesting Address is Made By
George W. Peltier of
Sacramento.

George W. Peltier, manager of the California State Bank of Sacramento, made an address before the California Bankers' Association at the Athenian Club yesterday afternoon. His subject was "Stability in Banking," and he spoke as follows:

"The field of banking is completely filled with good subjects for discussion at a convention of this character, yet there is difficulty in choosing one but that has been treated repeatedly in a masterly fashion.

"Figures and statistics are dry—the banker deals with natural or material things as opposed to the imaginary, and seriousness in our themes is developed.

"A paper on any subject, to be interesting, ought to comprise a vein of originality, or express sentiments that you sincerely feel.

"I am going to deal with the moral consciousness of the executive judgment and give an expression of the essential nature and the good that is realized through our combined efforts.

"Consequently, I selected 'Stability' as a word that relatively conveys as much to us, probably more, than any other.

"A study and analysis of the word brings us to a realization that stability is the genesis of the banking business—without it banking would have no room in the business world. It is the corner-stone of all commercial affairs.

STABILITY IN PERSONNEL.

"Beginning with the organization of bank, stability should be reflected in the name of its incorporators, because it is a pre-requisite to future successful development. Stockholders of good standing and who represent the solid element of a community, play an important part in the building up of a financial institution. It is the selection of the directors, whose names should be a reflex of probity, and stand for clean moral worth. Finally, executive officers, whose characters are exemplary. They reproduce the trend of thought and desire of the organizers, stockholders and directors, and, according to the stability of their acts, so will follow the stability of the bank over whose destiny they preside.

Therefore, without stability in its personnel, banking can not hope to make any appreciable progress.

STABILITY IN POLICY.

"Stability in the policy of a bank is as necessary as the stability of the unit of value upon which business is done, and which is the common denominator of all transactions.

"The affairs of a bank can rise to no higher plane than the thought of its officers. Its business will be circumscribed within such limits. It can develop on no broader lines, and it will enjoy growth and success as are measured by the stability of the policy adopted by its officers.

"The policy of a bank is made weak or strong by the mere language of its executive. Does he speak in moderate, positive terms, or does he cavil, amplify, say 'one' thing today and 'another' tomorrow? Are his statements dependable, is he stable?

"The late Thomas Brown whose name and character were well-known by the bankers of this State, and of the Pacific Coast, was a man of high character, a familiar person in banking circles in San Francisco. He was admired because he said what he meant, and meant what he said. There was no mistaking his language—a man of few words, but every word counted, but, once his declarations were made, they were affirmative or negative, once they had passed his lips, he stood committed. He was intolerant to a vacillating policy. With him it was stability first, and his bank achieved success.

CARDINAL FEATURES.

"The initial part assigned to the successful banker on the world's stage, then is stability. It stands for strength, soundness, permanency and vitality, the cardinal features in the operations of a bank. These are virtues in banking. They are our moral and material guides and they are the assets with which the banker should meet the public.

"He should have no right in the banking business, he should have no place in the public heart, he should not be tolerated by the fraternity of bankers, who has not the highest regard for these virtues, and who would dare to enter the banking circle to work upon the confidence, the faith and the stability of a human family. For what shall it profit a man if he should gain the whole world and lose his own soul?

SHIBBOLETH OF ASSOCIATION.

"The shibboleth of this Association, therefore, is stability; and it is urged that the officers shall safeguard and watch over the banking interests of this State, to see that false and fallacious measures are not imposed upon the public; to inculcate by example and essay on the youth of the land, what is most essential to the achievement of a successful banking career; to emphasize to our own members and others engaged in banking the necessity of consistent conservatism, and that we will check up ourselves, our policies, our methods, so that we may continually and vividly have before us the responsibilities of our undertakings. It will remind us that we are sentinels of a sensitive public trust, and that no one must enter there who is not clad with the armor of industry.

MAN OF MENTAL GRASP.

"It is a call of the man; it is a requisition on good citizenship; it is a demand for men clean of heart and quick of brain. It is the field for men whose visions have a wide scope, whose views are not narrowed by cent-per-cent. Rather, here is the place for the developer, the man of mental grasp, the man in sympathy with the public pulse, the man in touch with affairs, the experienced big man—the man of stability—his bank will be a bee-hive of industry.

CONFIDENCE AND CONSCIENCE.

"Every time a depositor places money in our bank I feel flattered. Why?—because there is expressed in that act confidence. What higher tribute can one person pay to another than by leaving money in his safe-keeping? That very act conveys to you, my fellow-bankers, a transaction fraught with the greatest responsibility. A serious condition arises. It is not merely one of debtor and creditor. That by stating the circumstances too lightly, legally, that position would be conveyed, but morally, what have you to say? It is the moral side of the contract that calls for your best efforts. You have

forgot the legal phase, it is exiled. You do not confound with the thought, for it is subdominant; but there arises majestically in your mind a sublime inspiration, made pure and wholesome by the soul that prompts and sends it forth that there exists between you and the depositor a contract that is not bound by the laws of the State, but it transcends such interpretation, that it is subject to and under the control only of the unwritten laws of the universe, and of the unpenned code of conscience. The responsibility is yours, and you will meet it squarely.

INVISIBLE INFLUENCE.

"What more can man or woman do to illustrate unlimited belief in you, in your judgment, in every trait of your character, in your manhood?

"There is the expressed trust, there is that repose of implicit confidence given to you. The depositor mentally recites that he has selected you as the one person in your locality in whom this faith has been placed. He repeats that in looking over the names of the banks in his locality your bank stands out as his choice. He may have no personal acquaintance with any of its officers. He may have never transacted any business in your bank before. This may be his initial deposit. If it is, so much more the distinction for you. It may be the opening account of his business career. It may be his savings of years of labor, hard labor. It may be the unemployed capital of a large concern. No matter from what source it derives, a strong influence has attracted or directed him to you. That influence is not written on the walls or advertising fences. It is invisible and intangible in your midst, yet it is there and it is strong.

He trusts you, and it is where his confidence is placed. He must have faith in some one. He feels there is no hazard in doing business with you. All element of chance is eliminated in his mind, and he repeats with pride and contentment that he is transacting his affairs at your bank. The conviction is deep-rooted with him and he entertains sanguine expectations that your institution is founded upon that granite rock of stability.

PLUNGER NOT WANTED.

"This is the place for the plunger. Banking is not the vocation for the speculator. We do not want him who is in the business to use the funds of others to exploit and develop his private affairs or for personal aggrandizement. The man who has no pride and contentment, and who is apt to yield to temptation through the handling of the public's money, should not engage in the banking business.

NO GET-RICH-QUICK SCHEME.

"We do not want him who loans the bank's funds to speculate in the stock market or to engage in any other get-rich-quick scheme. It affords no field for the opportunist, the adventurer or sentimental dreamer. This class of men imperils not only the bank, but the welfare of the entire business world. The profits of a legitimate bank cannot attract a following of this kind. There can be but one inevitable result for persons whose trend of thoughts follow in these channels.

"The dangers of employing methods of this character are well defined. Financial quicksands will be encountered, despite the buoy and signals that are plainly visible, and what follows?

"It may be either:

"1. Defalcation.

"2. Excessive loans to directors or managers.

"3. Fraudulent management.

"4. Injudicious banking methods.

"These are the four arch-enemies of the banking business, and it is indisputably established that to these chief causes may be assigned the wreckage of banks.

HONESTY IN ADVERTISING.

"I think it is a great mistake for banks to publish large earnings on their capital, where the earnings have been made by capital, surplus and undivided profits. It is not uncommon for some banks to have a surplus as large or larger than the nominal capital. Earnings are shown and dividends are declared on the capital only. Without any study of the example, and in the absence of a statement, the earnings appear abnormally large, when, in fact, were shown of the true conditions, the earnings would dwindle away to a moderate percentage. The publication of extraordinary earnings is misleading, and they often put many persons under a false impression of the banking business, and the results disclose that banks which are mindful of stability, that understand the sensitiveness of the business and have before them continually the welfare of the depositors, earn modest sums and

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INFATUATION OF BANKING.

"There is a strange infatuation about the banking business. Business men generally who have achieved a measure of success develop the idea that destiny intended them to be bankers. It is an ambition that is easily acquired; all business men cannot make successful bankers and all bankers cannot be expected to make progress in other enterprises. I do not wish to be understood as stating that it belongs to a chosen few, or that there is any royal road to banking—the field has been delegated to any special class. But I do hold that banking is a profession. If theology is the science of religion, if medicine is the science of the human body, if law is the science of justice—then banking is the science of finance. It is a special knowledge, based on certain truths, that is worked out of the school of life, the basic principles of which may be learned from the bibliography on the subject. They are as well defined as the principles of any other science.

LITERATURE OF FINANCE.

"The wide compass of banking interests is treated by text and reference books. The elementary principles of money and its uses are thoroughly exploited; the origin of trade and barter is discussed, the introduction of metal money, the stories of banking in foreign nations and in the United States are given in detail; forms, accounts, foreign exchange and practical banking; all these subjects are given in a definitely and thoroughly, as to afford one general reading on all the various divisions and subdivisions of money and banking. A short course on political economy; it deals with business methods and problems, these subjects are covered on commerce as law as collateral reading. The result will be to broaden the mind, sharpen the intellect, develop the intelligence, and one becomes versed in the literature bearing on finance. It plays a stronger part, and it is the potential factor in the principal movements of the world's changes.

POWER OF MONEY.

"The estimated strength of money today of all nations is thirty-four billions of dollars. Mighty power of the unit of value, it has dominion over the production of the human soul. It is the propelling force of our modern civilization; without it the progress of the world would stop. It must be recognized by all, and it is the power that rules. Upon its unit the world's cleavages are made and it pulsates through every artery of human activity. Its cogency builds cities and constructs transcontinental railroads; levitations of the deep, whose belching makes blizzards and by its flash plays a stronger part, and it is the force that controls the forces of electricity, on a single strand of wire the voice is carried a thousand miles, and by its flash messages are transmitted through limitless space across the ocean. It girdles the globe with a cable of steel. It conducts the water to the parched land, changes deserts and plains to fields of grain, and makes the mountains sparkle, it delves into the mountains for the precious metals, and through its instrumentality the American people will realize the greatest economic achievement of the twentieth century; the fulfillment of the promise and completion of the Panama canal. After subjugating the mysteries of sailing the air, what is there that remains for it to unravel?

MISAPPLICATION.

"When properly directed, the force within the mind of man, and the power of money, is irresistible and invincible. If, on the other hand, it is misapplied, it will precipitate chaos and misery. Are these not forcible reasons why we make the plea for stability in our affairs? Are these not reasons why we should not be resolute in the determination to effect it?

"All these material things the banking world puts upon you, and you not realize, gentlemen, an important part you have assumed, and what you are called upon to decide in the performance of your profession? All enterprises rest upon one difficulty, the last and the greatest, it is every student and reasonable question of money.

BUSINESS WORLD REVOLVES.

"You make the business world revolve; yours is the initial force, you are 'Manna in the wilderness.'

"Keepers of the public's treasures and guardians of the great trust of the community! Clothe yourselves with an indelible desire to have stability the lodestar of your existence. Follow it as the mariner follows his compass. Make it a condition a priori and you will have achieved a great result. You can bank last, it will endure, it will have elasticity to respond promptly and properly at strenuous times, and when the Bank Examiners make their last examination, just before the millennium comes, they will find with capital, surplus and undivided profits intact, and it will be declared to be in a solvent condition and upon a dividend-paying basis." (Applause.)

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GOMPERS HAS HOPE

Will Return to Try and Settle Strike in Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 19.—A report appeared on the stock tickers today that Sheriff Barrett had informed members of the firm of Bartlett, Frazier — Carrington that a settlement of the strike had been reached and an announcement would be made this afternoon. Chief Deputy Sheriff Peters said the report was not authorized.

CHICAGO, May 19.—Overtures looking to a peaceful settlement of the teamsters' strike here were temporarily set aside today. Through the departure of President Gompers for Dayton, Ohio, last night, the chief person in whom hopes of peace were centered, was removed. Encouraged by his efforts at mediation, however, the president of the American Federation of Labor will hasten back to Chicago and hopes to renew his negotiations tomorrow. Mr. Gompers admitted before his departure that the various conferences between the boyhood houses, should the teamsters' council at the meeting tonight, and thus he argued, would accomplish much toward fixing a common ground on which terms of peace might be reached.

The aidman committee held conferences today with representatives of the teamsters' union, and the American Federation of Labor, and considering a proposition from that body to arbitrate the question of deliveries to the boyhood houses. Should the teamsters' council at the meeting tonight accept to team owners' arbitration, it would be generally believed today that the end of the strike was near.

An adverse decision of an arbitration committee compelling drivers to deliver goods, would be the signal for raising the strike against all business firms now affected, and the State street department stores, the express companies and the coal concerns.

NO WEAKNESS.

Officials of the Teamsters' Union, while before the arbitration committee, will be accepted by the teamsters' joint council as showing no weakness on the part of the strikers against strike-bound houses.

J. Reed, secretary of the Furniture Drivers' Union, said today: "It is a bad thing to arbitrate, for it sets a bad precedent. If the principle of delivery to strike-bound houses by union drivers is submitted to arbitration in this case it will be the first time a house and a union have agreed to arbitrate for the purpose of preventing a general spread of the strike to all the teaming interests of the city."

Victor Sawyer, of the Employers' Association said the employers had reduced teaming to a science. Today the company with 219 wagons was making deliveries and had in its employ 2300 employees.

Members of the aidman strike committee made individual appeals today to employers to end the strike. Some were asked to make concession to the strikers, but the employers refused to make concessions that they could not break away from their association.

FLOUR Famine.

A serious flour famine threatens Chicago as the result of the spreading of the strike to include the wholesale flour manufacturers and dealers. The flour manufacturers and dealers have intervened the delivery of flour to retail merchants would be tied up within the next twelve hours.

The flour manufacturers and dealers were said to be acting in concert and intended to lock out union drivers as soon as the drivers refused to haul goods to any of the boycotted firms.

Flour, Livingston and Company today ordered flour taken to a boycotted house. When the driver refused to make the delivery twenty-eight union drivers were told that their services were no longer needed. It was said that each of the manufacturers and dealers who supply the bulk of the retail trade in the city would take similar action whenever drivers refused to make deliveries.

TALKS OF OLD CALIFORNIA.

In Thomas E. Farish's recent book, "Gold Hunters of California," are some good stories of the old days. Here is a warning about the biggest gambling Mr. Farish knew of in that time of big betting. "A man of the name of Moore had been betting and lost over \$100,000 in sums aggregating several thousand dollars on the game of faro. Finally, as he turned to leave, the dealer asked: 'Are you through?' Moore halted, hesitated, then, turning, he took from his pocket a key, held it up and said: 'I will bet everything in my safe, which this key unlocks, on the ten.' 'How much is in your safe?' inquired the dealer. 'I do not know,' but it is a large sum. If you win take the key, open the safe and secure all the money you find there. If I win we will go to the safe together, count the money and you must cover the amount,' was the answer. The challenge was accepted, the bet made and Moore won something over \$100,000. An eccentric character of those days.

was a lawyer named Lawrence, an attorney for the firm of Palmer, Cooke & Company. 'After a night of drinking and gambling Lawrence one afternoon called on Palmer at the bank. He was dressed in gray flannel shirt and overalls, a broad-brimmed hat, with a belt containing two six-shooters and a bowie knife around his waist. He informed Palmer that he intended to leave on the afternoon boat for Sacramento and the mines. 'Why do you do that?' inquired Palmer. 'Because I have spent all my money and must earn more,' said Lawrence, who never kept any account of how he stood at the bank. 'Why,' said Palmer, 'you have not spent all your money, surely. Let me see.' 'I cannot pull you out,' said Lawrence, 'I have no money left.' 'You have a credit here of \$5,000,' 'Have I?' asked Lawrence, incredulously. 'Yes, so the books show.' 'Well, then, I will not go,' decided Lawrence, who returned to his office and Sutton, on whose land gold was first discovered in California in 1848, was always loyal to his friends. 'During the winter of 1852 Sacramento was a marsh and drainage ditches had just been dug. One evening Sutton and a friend had been indulging a little too freely in the

THE LATEST NEWS OF THE DAY-4:30 P. M.

SOLDIERS ARE KILLED BY
HIDDEN OUTLAWS

General Wood Reports on Trouble
at Corneo=Fierce Battles
in Jungles.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The War Department has received the following cablegram from General Corbin, transmitting a report from General Wood regarding the engagement in the island of Jolo:

"Following just received from General Wood, via Dumaguete:

"May 14.—Returned to Zamboanga yesterday. Troops sent to Jolo are being returned to stations as rapidly as possible. More outlaws who have been raiding and killing in Corneo, were killed in action, together with all their principal supporters and followers of the Sultan, with all large chiefs, but the island is in no way involved; purely an aggregation of practical outlaws, disorderly characters from Sulu, and the other islands stretching down to Soreno.

"Positions selected by outlaws for defense were situated in almost impenetrable jungles and were exceedingly strong, prohibiting use of artillery, necessitating close attack and assault

in two instances.

"Casualties, nine enlisted killed and twenty-one enlisted wounded; two constabulary killed, three wounded during the ten days' operations. All wounded doing well, and all expected to recover; bulk of wounded not serious. Troops behaved splendidly and performed this most difficult service in a highly creditable manner. Full report will be forwarded. General breakdown of the cable, combined with use of water transportation at Jolo, in aiding Buford, prevented sending dispatch earlier."

Following list of killed reported by General Wood in addition to those reported May 17:

SAMUEL WEAVER, Co. G, Twenty-second Infantry.

BLICK HOWELL, Co. B, Twenty-second Infantry.

DANIEL NEWPORT, Co. I, Twenty-second Infantry.

EARL E. SANSOUCIE, Co. A, Twenty-second Infantry.

SECRET
SESSION

National Executive Board
of Teamsters
Meet.

CHICAGO, May 19.—The National Executive Board of the Teamsters' Union went into secret session this afternoon. This is the highest authority in the teamsters' organization. Any action taken by members of the joint council of teamsters tonight probably will be referred to this board for final action.

President Shea of the teamsters declared to the Livermen's Association that he "had more power than the Mayor of Chicago and had enough men to go up State street and clean out the district to the lake," according to the testimony of Franz Amberg before Master in Chancery Sherman today. Amberg is president of the West Side Livermen's Association.

"The last time I saw Shea," said the witness, "was at the Briggs House Tuesday at a conference. When we asked him if he would allow us to deliver lectures to the boycotted stores he said he could not possibly allow it. He said if we attempted to do it he would put fifteen of his best men along State street and take the names of all who hauled people to the stores and he would get them where he wanted them."

Then the witness told of Shea's threat to "clean out" part of the city.

"I told Shea he ought to have been run out of town long ago. I think myself that it would be better to hang him to a lamp post."

A settlement of the teamsters' strike seems to be near. Mayor Durne said today it would end within forty-eight

hours. Sheriff Barrett, who made a similar statement, has been calling in the deputy sheriffs on strike duty and will not make any more appointments for such service.

The strike, according to Sheriff Barrett is not to be called off but the strikers for whom positions are open are to return quietly to work, the employers to give their old positions to worthy men who have not been law-breakers.

President Shea said he had heard nothing of a prospective settlement—that none of the teamsters would go back to work until the strike had been declared off officially, and only the joint council could make such declaration. The employers association had 2,401 teams at work today, the largest number since the strike began. There was little interference.

SENTENCED TO BE
HANGED

CONVICTED MAN LAUGHS, THEN
WRITES LETTER TO
MOTHER.

SAN JOSE, May 19.—Wilson R. Howard, who murdered Andrew Sauer in 1902 for his money, was sentenced this morning to be hanged June 9.

He was cool, and in jail before and after being sentenced, joked and laughed with the officers.

This morning he wrote a lengthy letter to his mother, who resides in Houston, Texas, a copy of which he gave to a reporter for publication.

An officer is now on the way with him back to San Quentin.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—A jury was secured today to try Cress Unger, the former clerk of the Customs House, who is accused of embezzling \$1,500 while in office.

WHERE IS
MONEY?

Daughters of Capitalist
Ask That Executor
Explain.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—The daughters of the late David R. Jones, capitalist, are up in arms at Charles C. Bemis, the executor of their father's estate, and as a result of their protests made today to Judge Coffey, Bemis has been cited to appear in court on May 23 and make explanations. Although each was entitled with their brother to one-third of the income of a trust fund of many hundred thousand dollars, they have been receiving but \$300 monthly, the sisters declare, and they want to know what became of the remainder. Looking over the final account filed a few days ago by Bemis they assert they cannot learn material facts from it on account of omissions.

Bemis has property worth \$500,000 still in his possession as executor. The value of the estate at the time of Mr. Jones' death, on September 11, 1903, was nearly \$700,000, with an annual income of \$21,500. He owned real estate and a large number of valuable securities. In addition to providing for a division of the estate between his daughters and son, he bequeathed \$15,000 each to more distant relatives. These legacies have been paid.

Mrs. Lily Butterfield, wife of Frederick B. Butterfield, and Mrs. Anna D. Cooksey, wife of George Cooksey, are the daughters of David R. Jones, and the daughters of the late David R. Jones, who was a prominent capitalist and a member of the board of directors of the San Francisco Stock Exchange. The son, John R. Jones, is either not complaining or else holding back.

CRIMINAL DOCKET

George Thompson, convicted of being a pickpocket, was not sentenced today. Attorney A. L. Erick is sick and was not able to be present and Judge Wells of Contra Costa county did not appear in consequence to pronounce the punishment. Erick had given notice that at the time of sentence he would make a motion for a new trial. With the consent therefore of the District Attorney the case was continued until next Friday.

Eugene Legros, the young Belgian, who is being held on a charge of grand larceny for stealing a bicycle and valuable bric-a-brac from the home of General Oscar F. Long, was up again this morning and his case continued for another week. Efforts are to be made to have him deported under a provision of the Immigration Commissioner Hart H. North had promised to send a member of his staff to look into the case, but that this had not been done.

John McMeekin of Berkeley entered a plea of not guilty to the charge of having kidnapped two small boys and taken them to San Jose, and his case was set down for trial for August 14.

Charles Gravilla, a feeble-minded youth, was sent to the Glen Ellen Home by Judge W. H. Wente. He fought Deputies Wales and Riley and put up a stubborn resistance to being locked up in the insane ward at the hospital.

ALLEGES CONSPIRACY

The estate of the late Emil Stenzel of San Lorenzo, valued at about \$50,000, was not distributed today on account of an objection made by Attorney A. D. Spivak, who says that the three sons, Fritz, Henry and Charles, entered into a conspiracy to defraud the creditors of Charles by the bringing of a contest to the will of their father.

According to the terms of the will Charles was not to get any of the estate. He had once been the business manager of the world's champion heavyweight, James J. Corbett and spent considerable of his means, and the father, Charles, had been a gambler. A contest he should be cut out with but \$5.

Spivak now says that the brothers agreed to give Charles his share and allowed him to bring the contest, so that the world he would get nothing but \$5 from the estate, while in reality he would be paid his share. Judge Ogden was not prepared to hear the matter this morning and it was put over until Monday morning.

MURDERER INSANE

SACRAMENTO, May 19.—Dr. F. W. Hatch, superintendent of State Hospitals, who, in company with Dr. Asa Clark, of the Stockton asylum, has examined into the mental condition of M. Anthony, a prisoner under sentence of death for the murder of a Chinaman, states that Anthony is undoubtedly insane. The prisoner will be examined before a jury and sent to an asylum. He is a native of Porto Rico.

MYSTERIOUS DISEASE

SACRAMENTO, May 19.—Dr. Keene, State Veterinarian, has been informed by the District Attorney of Eldorado county that some mysterious disease is raging among a large band of cattle, pastured some twenty-five miles from Placerville, and that official will make a personal investigation immediately.

DEATH OF MRS. STELLER.

Mrs. Nancy A. Steller, a native of Ohio, died last night at her home in Point Richmond. She was 81 years of age. The funeral will be held tomorrow.

WANTS CASE DISMISSED.

Clarence Holder, who yesterday had Dan Rogers arrested for battery, this morning filed a request for dismissal. The men had a fight over a trivial matter.

HE WILL
NOT TALK

Worthington Will Not
Say Why He Has
Resigned.

PORTLAND, Oregon, May 19.—B. A. Worthington, vice-president and general manager of the Harriman lines in the Northwest Division, arrived in Portland today. Mr. Worthington declines to say what his future plans are and will not give his reasons for leaving the Harriman system, with which he has been connected since 1874, when he entered its employ at Sacramento, Cal.

The naming of a successor to Mr. Worthington will devolve upon Julius Kruttschnitt, director of maintenance and operation at Chicago. He it was who named E. B. Calvin and later Mr. Worthington for the position of general manager of the Northwest Division.

It is considered likely that in making his appointment he will consult A. L. Mohler, general manager of the Union Pacific at Omaha. In that event it is likely that Mr. Mohler will recommend the appointment of J. P. O'Brien, general superintendent of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company to succeed Mr. Worthington.

HE MURDERED TWO
MEN

NATCHEZ, Miss., May 19.—Peter Mathewson, a book agent, today shot and killed A. Z. Bidwell and Stephen Jones, fishermen, and fatally wounded Mrs. Sue Pruett, his mother-in-law. The trouble occurred about Mathewson's child, whom he claimed had been abducted by its grandparents.

UNGER IS PLACED
ON TRIAL

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—The last of the twelve men who will try Cress Unger, the defaulting seizure clerk in the Customs House, was secured this morning and the trial will proceed this afternoon. Collector of the Port Station is personally aiding Assistant United States Attorney Fickert in the trial of the case.

Unger appeared in court this morning attended by his attorneys, Bert Schlesinger and Seth Mann. He took a keen interest in the selection of the jury and several times gave his attorneys suggestions regarding the juryman.

The twelve jurors selected to try Unger are: William G. Drum, G. U. Hind, D. H. Potter, L. Altmark, George English, Joseph Dickman, William Scherer, Vilam Horvath, E. N. Trobeck, J. P. Moore, Louis Joseph and C. Lepori.

The defendant is charged with having embezzled \$18,000, the entire amount he has made good.

BANKER RADFORD
IS ELECTED.

At the meeting of the bankers' committee this afternoon J. D. Radford of the First National Bank of San Jose was elected chairman of the executive committee.

MORTON LEAVES JULY 1

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Secretary Morton will leave the Cabinet July 1, if the President will accept his resignation on that date. The Secretary has not completed his plans for the future. He has a number of offers under consideration.

COLLISION ON THE
BAY.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—The schooner Solang while rounding Alcatraz Island this morning collided with the bark R. P. Richet.

The R. P. Richet had her foretop gallant mast carried away and the Solang lost her main and mizzen masts.

LEAVE FOR SUMMER HOME.

Mrs. Morris Brown and son Earle left last Thursday morning for their summer home at Castella, Shasta county.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—Creditors of the Jersey Island Packing Company of Contra Costa county desire to have the firm declared bankrupt. S. H. Harmon Lumber Company, William Chert Company and the American Milling Company are the principal creditors. Their claims amount to \$101,755.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—The British ship Broderick Castle, that was listed as overdue and offered for re-insurance on Wednesday last, came into port today. She was ninety-three days making the voyage from Newcastle, Australia. Contrary winds and calms held her back.

DIED ON
THE TRIP

San Mateo's Tax Collector
Suddenly Passes
Away.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—Frank Granger, Tax Collector of San Mateo county, died suddenly this afternoon. Mr. Granger, who was owner of the gasoline launch Satellite, was bringing the Stanford Varsity racing shell and part of the Varsity crew to San Francisco from Redwood City, they being en route to Seattle.

When nearing this city one of the passengers upon entering the cabin found Mr. Granger in an unconscious condition.

All haste was made to the landing place to secure medical assistance, but Mr. Granger soon died. It is presumed death was due to natural causes.

OBJECT TO SUNDAY
NEWSPAPERS

WINONA LAKE, May 19.—A number of reports of special Presbyterian committees were received. The committee on marriage and divorce urged that the rule that ministers refuse to perform marriage ceremonies between divorced people unless the causes for the divorce are scriptural be continued.

The committee on Sabbath observance urged that all forms of sports and railroad excursions be abolished on the Sabbath and that ministers refuse to perform marriage ceremonies on the Sabbath. The committee on church co-operation and union submitted a plan for uniting the Reformed Presbyterian Church. It is understood that consideration of the question of church federation will begin tomorrow. This question appears to be paramount and many members of the assembly believe that it will carry.

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BISHOPS ASSIGNED

TOPEKA, Kansas, May 19.—The United Brethren today made the assignment of the Bishops to the various districts.

Bishop Matthews, Eastern District; Bishop Mills, Central District; Bishop Weekly, Pacific Coast District and Bishop Carter, Southern District.

E. E. Krummer, Matt Edmonds, C. J. Burkert, S. D. Faust, L. W. Stahl, W. Kemp, A. W. Bruery and D. W. Sprinkle were elected trustees of the Dayton Publishing House. As five of the members are citizens of Dayton, Ohio, where the publishing house is located, it is probable that the national convention will be taken for its establishment.

The Canadian branch of this court was today given authority to begin negotiations looking to a merger with the Methodist Wesleyan, the Presbyterian and Congregational churches.

It was also stated that the mission in Germany would be abandoned. A constitution will be adopted later today providing for the establishment of a home for the foreign missionaries.

PROMINENT MASON
SHOTS HIMSELF

CHICAGO, May 19.—Archibald McLellan, prominent in Masonic circles, committed suicide by shooting today in an office on the nineteenth floor of the Monticome Temple. Ill health was the reason.

INVITED TO SAN JOSE.

The members of the Oakland Board of Trade, Merchants' Exchange of this city, and the members of all Boards of Trade, Chambers of Commerce and Improvement Associations in the Bay Counties have been invited to attend the meeting of the State Publicity Committee of the California Promotion Committee, tomorrow, at San Jose.

A special car will leave Third and Townsend street, San Francisco for San Jose at 8 o'clock Saturday morning. A half fare has been arranged by the Promotion Committee. A banquet will be served at San Jose in the evening.

The day will be occupied by papers and addresses on the work of advertising the State and the results being obtained.

RE-ELECT OFFICERS.

NEW YORK, May 19.—The new board of directors of the Northern Pacific railway organized by re-electing the retiring officers. The new executive committee consists of Robert Bacon, George F. Baker, William H. Clough, J. N. Hill, John B. Kennedy and President Elliott, ex-officio.

JAPANESE
TO FIGHT

They Will Soon Break
Present Truce in
Manchuria.

GUNSHU PASS, Manchuria, May 19.—The weather has cleared and the roads, washed out by the recent rains, are impassable quagmires, but they will soon dry.

The present truce is expected to be broken by the Japanese.

They are showing every evidence of preparation to assume the offensive, constantly shifting positions and pressing the Russian left, where the cavalry forces are daily exchanging shots. The demonstrations on the Russian left, however, are probably only a feint to cover the real stroke on the right.

This is thought more probable because of the care with which the Japanese are screening the movements on their right, using Chinese bandits freely for this purpose. The attempts of the Russian scouts to pierce the curtain have not been successful, especially in the morning. A new system for transportation of wounded men from the battlefield by means of pack horses has been organized. Experiments have shown good results.

IMPROVEMENT CLUB

The regular meeting of the Central Oakland Club was held last evening at the club-rooms, 4906 Telegraph avenue.

The meeting was well attended and many visitors were present. The committee on school matters reported favorable progress.

The special subject of the evening was the federation of the improvement clubs of the city and committees were appointed from the different clubs to meet and form such a federation. All present were unanimous and enthusiastic on the subject. The following gentlemen were present, representing the different improvement clubs: Captain C. P. Welch, president and J. C. Esley vice president of the Independence Square District Improvement Club of East Oakland; L. A. Underwood, president of the North Oakland Improvement Club, and M. P. Manning, president of the First Ward Independent Improvement Club.

Many matters of interest locally and for the general good of the city were discussed, especially matters pertaining to street repairs and improvements.

The following committees were appointed from the clubs represented at the meeting to form a federation: Central Council: General Oakland Club—W. H. Thomas, president; North Oakland Improvement Club—J. C. Esley, president; Square District Improvement Club—Captain C. P. Welch, J. C. Esley and Albert Schmitt; North Oakland Improvement Club—L. A. Underwood; First Ward Independent Improvement Club—M. P. Manning.

Other clubs not represented at the meeting will be asked to send committees to the federation of improvement clubs of San Francisco, which will be held at the Oakland Club on next Thursday evening.

Other speakers will be present and members of other improvement clubs are invited to attend.

TAFT HEARS THE
WITNESS

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Secretary Taft has examined the witness in the Bowen-Loomis case summoned by him from New York. He was Henry Willard Dean, now a resident of New York, who was the local agent in Caracas of the New York and Bermudez Asphalt Company when Mr. Loomis was American Minister there. He was called by Secretary Taft to testify concerning the \$10,000 check issued for Mr. Loomis by the Asphalt Company, which Mr. Loomis states was merely a matter of exchange. Secretary Taft is now awaiting the submission by Mr. Loomis of his reply to Mr. Bowen's statement.

DIED.

MOONEY.—In this city, May 19, 1905, James, beloved husband of Alicia R. Mooney and father of Mary T. Francis, A. C. Mooney and Mrs. W. E. Compton, a native of County Kerry, Ireland, aged 80 years, 10 months, 13 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Monday, May 22, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., from his late residence, No. 556 22d st., thence to St. Francis de Sales Church, where a Mass will be said. Burial will be in the cemetery at 9 o'clock a. m. Interment at St. Mary's Cemetery, Oakland.

KINGMAN.—In this city, May 18, 1905, at 1336 12th ave., Mrs. Myraet V. Kingman, after life's first fever she sleeps in a native of Vermont.

FUNERAL SERVICES PRIVATE at the home, tomorrow, Saturday, May 20, 1905, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., services at the Oakland Crematory at 3:45 p. m. Please omit flowers.

JONES.—In this city, May 18, 1905, George W. Jones, of Virginia, husband of Mrs. Jones and father of George L. Nellie B. Jones and Victor T. Jones, a native of California, aged 79 years, 10 months, 9 days, 2 days.

CHAMBERS.—In this city, May 18, 1905, Colonel Alexander Chambers, a native of Augusta, Maine, aged 65 years, 1 month and 20 days, a native of Maine, and Omaha, Neb., papers please copy.

FUNERAL SERVICES tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon, May 20, at 2:30 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. E. M. Winslow, No. 876 Wood street. Interment at St. Mary's Cemetery, Oakland.

HUTCHINSON.—In this city, May 18, 1905, at the King's Daughters' Home, Aunt Mary Hutchinson, a native of St. Stephen, N. H., aged 72 years, 11 months and 25 days.

SALTER.—In Point Richmond, May 18, 1905, Nancy A. Salter, beloved mother of Mrs. Alice Harlow, Mrs. R. G. Stitt and Norman F. Salter, a native of Ohio, aged 81 years, 4 months and 16 days.

ALBERT BROWN
UNDERWEAR & EMBROIDER
570 512 13 STREET
MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN

WOMAN
SHOOTS

Fires Five Shots at
Workmen in Defense
of Home.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—The property owners on Telegraph Hill, whose homes are said to be menaced by a midnight renewal of quarrying operations by Gray Brothers, have armed for the fray.

Last night shortly after 11 o'clock an enraged woman who saw her home in imminent danger of being toppled over the high cliff, went out on Calhoun street and fired five shots at the workmen who were digging at the base of the hill.

The determined firing coupled with a hail of bullets had the effect of driving the men off and stopping the work on the hill.

WILL NOT TAKE
THE MONEY

SIoux CITY, Iowa, May 19.—Great financiers who achieve wealth by oppressive and unscrupulous methods will be blacklisted and no more funds will be sought from them by the Congregational Church, according to Dr. Washington Gladden, who was interviewed at length on this theme while attending the annual convention of his church here today. Dr. Gladden says their money will not only not be solicited but will be rejected.

BENEFIT FOR WIDOW.

The benefit of the Bell Theater, given on behalf of the widow of the late Police-geon George W. Brown, who was murdered by a policeman, was held this afternoon. The proceeds for the benefit, it is estimated, will exceed \$1000. A square policeman named George W. Brown, who was killed by a policeman named Agnew, was the subject of the benefit. The benefit was pronounced a splendid success. So many tickets were sold that all the persons who took them could not be seated. The benefit was a success. The benefit was a success. The benefit was a success.

Too Late for Classification

LANIGAN.—In this city, May 17, 1905, John S. Lanigan, a member of Lyon Street, N. E. G. A. R., a native of Massachusetts, aged 66 years, 10 months, 15 days.

WM. M. BUTTERS, JR.,
458 11th St.
\$1350.—Bums new lot; high-toned locality; close in; \$100 down and \$10 per month or more and interest; it is bargain; street street complete.

\$350.—Nice vacant lot; sewer, macadamized; sunny side; near electric line and local in West Berkeley; \$25 down and \$5 per month; this is a great chance.

\$650.—Splendid large lot; street macadamized; close to city; \$100 down and \$10 per month; interest 6 per cent; don't delay finding out about this; see owner.

WM. M. BUTTERS, JR.,
458 11th St.
MODERN flat of 11 rooms, \$50, with all latest improvements, 55th Telegraph ave. BOY wanted, 658 11th st. F. W. Diehl, 6

A NICELY furnished room in private family for gentleman where he could have washing and mending done; near local 843 Madison.

WANTED—second-hand gentleman's bicycle, 22-inch frame, 34 1/2 Myrtle, 3 Broadway.

Down Town
Bargains

\$500.—Cottage and lot on 10th st., within 2 blocks of Broadway.

Corner, 757 1/2 on Franklin and 4th sts. 1 block from the Western Pacific. Real way right of way. Geo. W. Austin, 1002 Broadway, Oakland.

WANTED—A young girl to assist in house work. Apply 1320 4th ave. East Oakland.

A YOUNG girl lately from Ireland, wishes a situation in a private family for general housework. Please call at 732 Chester st., West Oakland.

WANTED—Lacy suitcases for Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley, good salaries and commission. 1173 Market st., cor 14th st.

FOUND—A black horse with one eye. 1020 Oak st. Phone No. 2191.

YOUNG lady 17 to 20, living at home, for stenography and general office work; some experience; references; apply after 8 a. m. Saturday. United States.

WANTED—By a capable young woman, position to do second work. 761 Jefferson st.

LOST—Bunch of keys, including fire alarm key No. 1874. Return to 1536 Broadway.

FURNISHED flat to let. 1017 Myrtle, near Market st. station.

LOST—Wednesday afternoon in vicinity of 8th and Magnolia; brown chamois skin pocket book, containing \$20 gold piece, \$5 greenback and small bills. Liberal reward. Return to 654 Telegraph ave.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished flat; 6 rooms and bath. 541 25th st; key at 529.

**A little talk
on Underwear**

—A CHAT FOR A FEW BRIEF MOMENTS
ABOUT THE GARMENT WHICH IS RIGHT NEXT
TO YOU—FIRST, IT MUST FIT YOU PROPERLY—
IT MUST BE OF PROPER QUALITY SUITABLE
FOR YOUR PERSONAL COMFORT. PRICE IS AN
IMPORTANT ITEM ABOUT ECONOMIC PURCHASE
AND WE MAKE THAT PART OF OUR
UNDERWEAR ABSOLUTELY RIGHT—A WINDOW
DISPLAY OF GARMENTS AT,

50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50
EACH—TWILL PAY YOU WELL TO TIE YOUR-
SELF UP TO OUR LINES OF UNDERGARMENTS.

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Hamilton and Jefferson Contrasted.

The Nevada City Miner-Transcript agrees with THE TRIBUNE that Alexander Hamilton was opposed to a democratic form of government, but says a study of his writings shows that his conception of an ideal government was a senatorial oligarchy modeled after that of ancient Rome.

Our contemporary confounds Hamilton's advocacy of certain schemes of government with his belief as to what was the best form of government. He wanted a monarchy, but if there was to be a republic he wanted one in which the suffrage would be limited, with life terms for the President and Senators. He was fertile in expedients, and all the powers of his strong mind were bent toward preventing the establishment of a democratic system. He was a firm believer in the theory that a hereditary aristocracy is a bulwark to society and a necessary prop to orderly and stable government. Nevertheless there is no reason to believe that Hamilton was not a sincere patriot or that he was an enemy to liberty, as Senator Maclay declares in his memoirs. Hamilton simply distrusted the ability of the people to govern themselves, and he detested Jefferson's theories because he believed Jefferson to have been a visionary, impractical and insincere man, and therefore dangerous. Jefferson, on the other hand, regarded Hamilton as a man who attached himself to the Revolutionary cause, not because he was in sympathy with the cause for which Washington fought, but because it gave him an opportunity to achieve place and distinction.

In reality, Jefferson was half right in this estimate of Hamilton. While the latter was undoubtedly sincere in his devotion to the Revolutionary cause, he believed in a separation of the Colonies from the Mother Country rather than a change in the political system. He was in favor of independence and a retention of the form of government prevailing in Great Britain.

Jefferson wanted to sweep away all monarchical and aristocratic institutions, forms, and ceremonies, and inaugurate a new political dispensation. Therefore he made the Declaration a charter of human liberty, applicable to every people in every clime and every age. In giving the world notice that the Colonies were independent of the British crown, he made the Continental Congress rest the right of the people of the Colonies to secede on the broad fundamental statement that "all governments derive their powers from the consent of the governed."

Men like Hamilton serve the cause of good government and human progress, but however able and conscientious they may be they are not friends of liberty. Jefferson made mistakes in the appliances he recommended to accomplish desired ends, but he was the arch apostle of freedom. He wished above all things to liberalize governments and lodge all political power in the hands of the masses. In this respect he was the antithesis of Hamilton, who believed that democracy was synonymous with disaster.

Hamilton was Jefferson's superior in constructive statesmanship, but in the realm of speculative philosophy regarding the legitimate ends and scope of government the author of the Declaration was incomparably a greater and more useful man to his country and to mankind generally than Alexander Hamilton. Jefferson devoted all his energies and talents to making men freer and the government more democratic. Hamilton expended his vast powers of mind in resisting every advance toward democracy and every device to make the people the administrators of their own political concerns.

In looking over a previous article on this subject we find that a slight error was committed in saying Hamilton left his "impress on the Constitution." It should have been on the structure of this government. Hamilton had practically nothing to do with fashioning the Constitution, being absent nearly all the time that instrument was being framed. After it was constructed he signed it and cast his lot with it. James Madison's was the mind that dominated in the drafting of our national organic law.

Attorney George D. Collins can testify that a mother-in-law has her uses.

The British have made Ambassador Choate a "bencher," but, thank heaven, they haven't succeeded in making him a Britisher.

Collier's Weekly intimates that the sign "standing room only" will have to be put up in New York harbor if the rush of immigrants from Europe continues. There is already a lack of elbow room in some of the Eastern States, and the late arrivals show a decided inclination to squat down where they land. Unsettled prairies in the Far West no longer beckon immigrants to come on and occupy the land. The landed heritage of the people has been given away or stolen by land grabbers, hence the new comers are wage earners rather than homeseekers—a fact that promises sinister changes in our national life.

False Pretension Stingingly Rebuked

Benjamin Ide Wheeler can say some good things on occasion. We do not recall a recent utterance more forcible, more true and more to the point than this extract from his address to the graduating class at Berkeley:

"The man who seeks a position by the use of the vulgar thing vulgarly denominated 'influence' and by assembling indorsements from men who do not know him, the man who seeks business and conciliates 'standing' by joining societies he has no inner use for, and wearing buttons his coat has no outward use for, the man who covets an office he has no preparation or fitness for, the man who hastens to get rich by methods that do not naturally create wealth, each and all of them are drawing checks with a false signature; they sooner or later will be found out, and society will in one way or another return their paper stamped 'no funds.' The trouble with all such men is lack of moral patience, and this great immorality of impatience has its ultimate source in the great irreligion, whose devotees consume each day as if it were the whole of life, and whose creed distrusts the power that makes for righteousness in the moral order of the world."

Here is a measure of sound grain amid the bushels of platitudes and loose moralizings cast into the wastes of verbiage on college commencements. The world is familiar with the professional joiner of secret societies, clubs and other social organizations. The man who is perpetually seeking some friendly shoulder on which he may climb to unearned success abounds in multitude. Faking, pretending and shortcutting to fortune or reputation are as perniciously general as food adulteration and political philandering. There is a popular craze for getting something that is neither earned nor deserved, but is the ill-gotten gain of some cheating process. This craze has invaded the colleges and universities—the last places where it ought to find lodgement and welcome—and we see its fruit in cribbing and cheating at examinations instead of fair honest work and real scholarship.

President Wheeler has struck at this evil tendency of modern American life with a vigor and directness which all should applaud. He lays down as the true test of achievement that no form of success is really valuable unless it has been honestly earned, and cannot be permanent. All charlatanism has its limitations. It is never anything better than a counterfeit of the real thing. If there were no true gold no one would care to imitate it, and no honest manly person can go jackdawing through life in borrowed plumes without loss of self-respect and without being ultimately exposed as a masquerader.

Public Ownership in Philadelphia.

Municipal ownership is having a sore trial in Philadelphia. The city owns its own gas works, which it operated for many years, with most unsatisfactory results so far as the cost of lighting and the quality of the gas supplied were concerned. The public continually complained that the gas works were mismanaged in the interest of political bosses and their grafting adherents. Finally the plant was leased to a private corporation for a term of years. Now the City Council has voted, amid a tremendous uproar and threats of hanging, to lease the works for a term of seventy-five years. It was one of the most daring and stupendous jobs ever carried through in the face of indignant public opinion. This brutal act of piracy is one of the phases of municipal ownership that its advocates shun in discussion. Philadelphia's gas plant has been a fecund breeder of corruption and misgovernment, and has now been utilized for a graft of mammoth proportions that will extend for three generations unless the courts intervene.

A contemporary takes THE TRIBUNE to task for saying the "Teamsters' Union of Chicago disagreed with Montgomery Ward & Co. over a minor question," but neglects to give any version of the origin of the difficulty. The facts are as follows: On the 19th of December seventeen garment workers in the employ of Montgomery Ward & Co., went on a strike to enforce demands which the garment workers of New York, Newark and Boston had been compelled to relinquish. The Teamsters' Union took the matter up and demanded that the firm arbitrate with the garment workers. This demand not being acceded to the drivers employed by Montgomery Ward & Co. went out on strike on April 6th. Subsequently the union placed the firm under the ban of the boycott, and in consequence the strike became general throughout the city. We leave others to decide whether the grievance of seventeen garment workers was a minor question or not. It certainly did not directly affect the Teamsters' Union.

THE CHARACTERS IN HAMLET.

Laertes—with the treasure of a brother's love,
That one deep feeling, absolutely pure,
That with kind thought and purpose did endure,
Through change and trouble; far and far above
The inconsiderate lover's and which strove
By guiding word and council, to insure
Thy innocence from danger and secure
Thy weal and welfare, O, thou stricken dove.
Then Denmark's fated Prince, whose maxims please
In crowded mart, as on a kingly throne;
Strange nature wrought of inconsistencies,
Like "sweet bells jangled, harsh and out of tone,"
Had thy philosophy and wit no sway,
Then Shakespeare had not planned the Immortal play.

Ophelia—often as the pansies blow,
There's "thought" for thee as gentle as the dew,
And "there's a daisy;" would to wear some rue,
"E'en on a Sunday" half thy grace bestow?
There's "rosemary for remembrance," even so
There's "lovers flowers," violets of true blue,
} But thine are "withered"; Ah, that love so true
Should mar and mark thy reason's overthrow.
O, wretched Queen, thy sad and tragic fate,
Is scarce commensurate with thy dark sin,
But penitence may not have come too late,
From human hearts a pitying tear to win.
Had thy deceit and treachery no sway,
Then Shakespeare had not penned the immortal play.

MRS. M. C. HAMLIN,

1920 Haste street, Berkeley.

SOME PASSING JESTS.

"Good-evening, Bud, is your sister in?"
"No, Mr. Dennis, she is not at home."
"You are mistaken, my name isn't Dennis."
"Sister said it was."—Houston Post.

"Humble as I am," said a loud-voiced spouter at a meeting, "I still remember that I am a fraction of this magnificent empire."
"You are, indeed," said a bystander, "and a vulgar one at that."
—Tit-Bits.

"So you knocked him clear out of the business," said the friend of the pugilistic champion. "Well, he's a dead one now."
"Yes," mused the bruiser, gazing at the senseless form of the hardy aspirant for honors, "I have just administered the last sad right!"—Cleveland Leader.

Visitor—Why are you crying so, Bobbie?
Bobbie—Boo-hoo! 'Cause de Russians an' Japs are havin' a war.
Visitor—What a kind-hearted little boy!
Bobbie—An'—boo-hoo!—some day I'll have ter study about it in schol.—Judge.

"Are your papa and mamma at home?" asked the caller.
"No," replied little Marguerite; "one of them may be here, but they never are both at home at the same time."—Chicago Record-Herald.

"I see two French engineers succeeded in reaching the summit of the Fourcad Agnelli, in Switzerland, an altitude of nearly 13,700 feet," remarked the contractor to a friend.
"Sure, boss," said Pat, who had overheard the remark, "did they get up in a blast or did they walk up?"—Yonkers Statesman.

The discussion over Johnny's failings had reached the stage of personalities.

"It's easy to see, madam," vociferated Mr. Chugwater, "which side of the house the boy gets his temper from."
"It is, Joshua," replied Mrs. Chugwater; "and it's likewise easy to see where he gets his inability to control it."—Los Angeles Times.

Ma—Willie, what's your little brother crying about?
Willie—Jist 'cause he don't want to learn anything. I jist took his candy and showed him how to eat it.—Philadelphia Ledger.

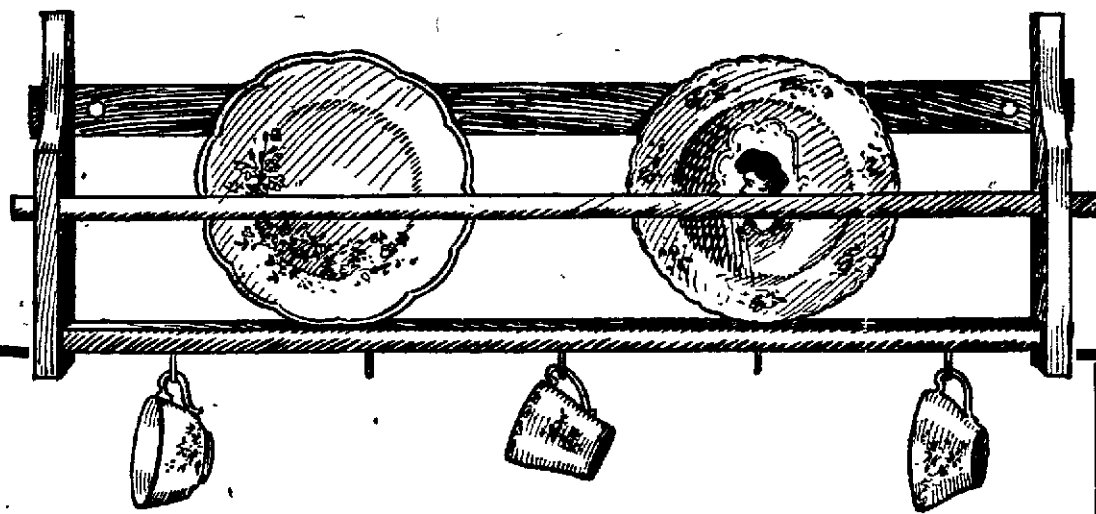
CHIPS FROM OTHER BLOCKS

Russia and England may go to war. After the South-African and Manchurian incidents, the fight promises to be very much like a difference between cripples.—Sacramento Union.

It seems a little hard that the choir of St. John's should sing "Awake, Thou That Sleepest," immediately after the addresses of Grand Chief Anton and Mayor McCall.—York Dispatch.

Saturn has a new little satellite, Professor Pickering says. Both are doing well.—Boston Globe.

A body buried in the Point Arena cemetery was preserved for forty years. That would be good soil in which some cities should bury their civic virtue.—Grass Valley Union.



This is Our Saturday Night Special

PLATE RACKS

Of golden oak, or weathered oak—33 inches long—12 inches high. Not the cheap trashy kind but a well made plate rack. The design is quite simple, but at the same time its very simplicity makes its charm. Just think how prettily you could display a few of your choice plates if you had one of these.

These plate racks have cup hooks at bottom for hanging cups.

On sale from 6 p. m. to 9:30 p. m. tomorrow (Saturday) evening. None sold under any circumstances before the hour of the sale. No telephone orders received. Only one allowed to each customer and none delivered. Sale Price—



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An old gossip sweeps up more dirt than a new broom.
The fewer friends a man has the more money he saves.
Long skirts never indicate that the wearers have small feet.
A miser leaves the earth because he cannot take it with him.
Much of our earthly happiness is due to our ability to forget things.
A laboring man knows the value of a dollar and a shopping woman knows the value of 98 cents.
Some farmers are troubled with inflammatory rheumatism, and some others with inflammatory Reubenism.—Chicago News

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BEGINNING MONDAY, MAY 15.
ENTIRE NEW BILL THIS WEEK.
Gilt edge vaudeville show. Matinee daily. At least two performances nightly. Admission 10 cents. Penny Arcade now open. Admission free.

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Handsomest Vaudeville House in the West. Vaudeville stars appear at all times. Change of bill every Monday. Admission 10c. Matinee daily. Extra performances on Saturday and Sunday.

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VAN SLYKE AND CARLSON, Props.
HIGH-CLASS VAUDEVILLE
NEW FACES. NEW ACTS.
Change of Bill Weekly.
Admission, 10c. Matinee daily at 3:15. Evening performances at 7:45 and 9 o'clock. Extra shows Saturday, Sunday and holidays.

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French candy is always popular; the ladies love it, the men like it. The better the candy the better it is liked; Osgood's is the best of all, therefore is liked best. This means that we sell great quantities of it. We get it by the ton—think of it, 2,000 pound boxes at once. It is always fresh and delicately-flavored because it never remains in our cases—it is too good to stay with us, and the public knows it.

Now a full pound box of pure French candies and chocolate creams is always sold for 50 cents. You've paid this price many times. We sell so much of it, and sacrifice all our profit as an advertisement for our cut-rate principles. So we sell it for 25c and you save a quarter.

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THIEF ALMOST SECURED A RICH PRIZE.

Alameda Man's Experience at the Butchers' Picnic Last Wednesday.

ALAMEDA, May 19.—Mr. Kron, one of the proprietors of the Popular restaurant on Market street, across the bay, who resides here, had a rough experience at the Butchers' picnic at Emeryville Wednesday with a crook, who made a desperate effort to cause Mr. Kron and a valuable scarpin to summarily part company.

The restaurant man caught the thief in the act and recovered his pin in fragments, at the same time administering a beating to the pin "lifter" which he will be likely to remember for some time.

Mr. Kron went out to take in the races and enjoy the festivities of the day, with no idea of running into a rude pin snatcher. He wore a resplendent pearl and diamond pin in his cravat valued at \$400. That he was not bereft of the sparkling gems was due to a singular piece of good luck.

The crowd the Alamedan was jostled, when he turned somewhat angrily to see who had been so rude. This was the moment the thief, who doubtless had a confederate, was looking for. He applied a pair of "snippers" to Kron's pin to take the gems from their fastenings.

The instrument cut the pin in two places and in another instant the thief would have been safe off with his plunder. The restaurant man, however, was too quick for him, and realizing instantly that he was being robbed, he turned and wrestled the pin from the thief. Then he gave the fellow a lively trouncing before he made his escape in the crowd.

Formerly scarpins were considered safe if they were provided with a fastening device to secure them from pickpockets, but the light-fingered clan have taken to carrying a handy instrument to cut away pins, and on the ferry-boats it is reported that a number of persons have been robbed recently in this manner.

BODY FOUND.

ALAMEDA, May 19.—The remains of Rufus W. Weeks, second son of Editor George F. Weeks of the Alameda Daily Enquirer, were recovered in the Feather river, where he was drowned, after a protracted search and are to arrive here tomorrow, accompanied by his father and his younger brother, Charles Weeks, when arrangements for the funeral will be completed.

Mr. Weeks employed extraordinary means in the search for the remains of his unfortunate son, which were not brought to light for over fifteen days. The body was finally located a number of miles down from the scene of the fatal accident. Mr. Weeks was with a surviving party, and while attempting to cross the river his boat capsized, resulting in his drowning. He had many friends in this city.

ITCHING SCALP HUMOR

Lady Suffered Tortures Until Cured by Cuticura.

SCRATCHED DAY AND NIGHT

"My scalp was covered with little pimples and I suffered tortures from the itching. I was scratching all day and night, and I could get no rest. I washed my head with hot water and Cuticura Soap, and then applied the Cuticura Ointment as a dressing. One box of the ointment and one cake of Cuticura Soap cured me. Now my head is entirely clear and my hair is growing splendidly. I have used Cuticura Soap ever since, and shall never be without it." (Signed) Ada C. Smith, 309 Grand St., Jersey City, N. J.

ENTERTAINMENT
BY THE G. A. R.

BERKELEY, May 19.—Members of the local G. A. R. post and W. B. C. are hard at work preparing for the usual entertainment on Memorial evening, May 30. The committee has secured the lower hall in the O. O. F. building.

Local talent has been secured and also a prominent speaker for the evening's program. The school children will sing patriotic songs, a detachment of Company A, Veteran Reserves, who are all Civil War veterans, will give an exhibition drill, together with a number of recitations by prominent elocutionists.

CHURCH PICNIC

Parishioners of St Joseph's to Enjoy An Outing.

BERKELEY, May 19.—The committee on St. Joseph's Church picnic have completed their arrangements for Saturday, May 20, when the picnic will take place. Shell Mound Park has been selected.

The many handsome prizes, which were generously donated by merchants and friends of Berkeley, show the interest manifested in contributing to make this a gala day for all who are fortunate enough to attend. Judging from the interest shown everywhere a large crowd will avail themselves of the opportunity of being present. The special attractions will be found in the athletic events, some of which will be amusing, and for which pretty and useful prizes are offered.

Inducements to ticket-holders are offered in gate prices, which are as equally valuable as those donated for contestants. The committee is greatly pleased with the success that has so far met them and hope their efforts will be crowned by this event being chronicled as the first "Grand Picnic" of the city.

The committee in charge are: President—Father M. O'Riordan and J. W. Finn.

Games and prizes—T. T. Down, chairman. Music—Mrs. W. A. Corcoran, L. O'Toole, Douglas, Corcoran, McGowan, McDonald and Cain.

Reception and dance—C. D. Maloney, chairman. W. A. Corcoran, L. O'Toole, Charles Gregory and L. Kennedy.

Program—P. Levy, W. A. Corcoran, M. O'Riordan, J. W. Finn, T. Dowd and T. Murray.

Marshal—J. W. Finn.

All trains leaving Berkeley between the hours of 9 and 3 o'clock will stop at Shell Mound to accommodate the picnicers. Berkeley bound trains will stop at the grounds at 4:30, 5 and 5:30 p. m.

BITS OF CHAT FROM BERKELEY

BERKELEY, May 19.—Mrs. Edward Schwerin of Fulton street is convalescent from her recent attack of typhoid.

Walter Fagan of this city has been spending a week's vacation at his old home in Santa Paula, Ventura county. L. M. Hale is finishing off the interior of the North Berkeley Congregational Church at the corner of Cedar and Oxford streets.

Mr. and Mrs. Overt of Carson, Nev., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Parmenter, of 2355 Woolsey street. Mrs. Overt was formerly Miss Hallie Parmenter.

Miss L. E. Schaefer of this city was elected supreme grand club-chief companion of the Supreme Grand Council, Companions of the Forest, at a meeting held yesterday in San Francisco.

Internal Revenue Collector John C. Lynch returned from Cucamonga yesterday, where he went on business connected with his orange and lemon orchard. The yield this year, he says, will be very large and the prices good.

RUNAWAY HORSE CREATES TROUBLE

BERKELEY, May 19.—A horse owned by Mrs. H. R. Hester of 1731 California street ran away yesterday, smashing the buggy to which it was attached and narrowly escaped running into a woman and child at the entrance to the Francis Shattuck building on Shattuck avenue. That the woman and child were not injured by the animal was due to the timely warning of George Smith, an employee of the telephone company, who shouted to the woman when the horse was but a few yards away. Seizing the child in her arms, the woman sprang into a projecting doorway as the horse slipped and fell, sliding half-way across the sidewalk.

MONEY FOR BERKELEY SCHOOLS

BERKELEY, May 19.—Town Clerk Clarence S. Merrill has received notice from County Superintendent T. O. Crawford that Berkeley's apportionment out of the county school fund this year would be \$13,810.40, an increase of \$3,000 over last year's amount.

PEDDLER FORCED TO GET LICENSE

BERKELEY, May 19.—A. J. McKenney of San Francisco was arrested yesterday by Deputy Marshal Moran, for peddling without a license. Rather than pay a fine McKenney paid \$15 for a license and his case was dismissed.

HORSE BITES HIS KEEPER

Alexander Macwee, a coachman working at 154 Lake street nearly had his entire scalp lifted by a horse yesterday afternoon.

Macwee went into the stall to feed the horse some oats. The animal caught the top of his head in its teeth and laid his whole scalp bare. He managed to escape from the stall and was taken to the Receiving Hospital where his loosened locks were sewn back in place by Steward Harry Borchart.

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If the blood is impure you can't get a good complexion. It is something wrong with the stomach and liver. To correct these organs the Bitters is adapted. Try a bottle and see for yourself. It cures Torpid Liver, Indigestion, Catarrhes, and Dyspepsia.

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Come Tomorrow and See How we are Growing, and at the same time take advantage of the many Money-Saving, Opening Specials.

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KITCHEN UTENSILS, WOOD AND WILLOW WARE

We've extended the invitation to you during the past few days; we've aroused the interest of thousands by the display in our show windows of the startling specials which go on sale Saturday morning. NOW—we want all to come and bear witness to the fact that we do and sell just as we advertise. Careful purchasers will save many dollars in our New Department on Saturday—be among them.

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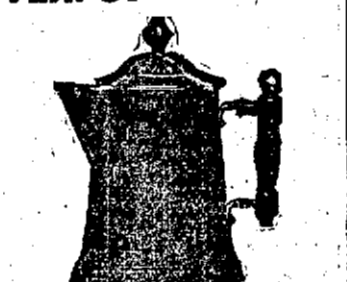
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Large size; best spint; made to stand wear.

COMPLETE LINES OF THOSE THOUSAND AND ONE THINGS THAT ARE DAILY NEEDED IN THE KITCHEN AND PANTRY.

UNDER THE OAKS

Comings and Goings of University Folk--Many Leave For Homes.

BERKELEY, May 19.—H. E. Holden, a Phi Delta Theta, is in Napa.

KAHN'S—The Always Busy Corner
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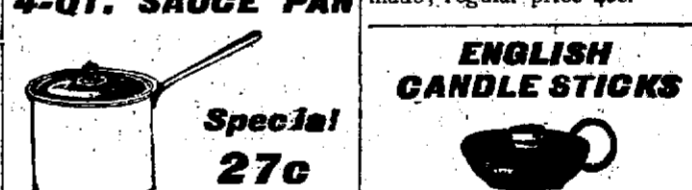
Special 50
Made of glass; gets out every drop of juice from the lemon; keeps seeds and pulp from receptacle.

TEA POT



Special 170
Extra large size; fire-proof; durable.

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A well-made, four-quart, steel-enamelled straight Sauce Pan with lid; a most durable article.

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Monster rolls, equal to two of ordinary kind; medicated.

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beautifully decorated; fine china.

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70
the dainty transparent kind; fine quality.

CHINA CUPS AND SAUCERS—During sale only—each



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—these are the regular 20c, 25c, 30c and 35c values.

VEGETABLE DISHES—During sale only—each

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—these are the genuine Johnson's, white covered dishes that sell regularly for 75c.

CHINA CAKE PLATES—Special

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—the best, hand-decorated china; large size, with handle.

SAUCE BOWLS—Special—each

50
—fine decorated porcelain.

BEAUTIFUL CHINA CREAMERS

—During sale only—each

70
—the regular 25c kind.

CUPS AND SAUCERS—Each

50
—the quality that always sells at \$1.40 dozen.

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In the China Department will be found an extensive and elaborate display of Parlor Lamps, Library Lamps, Hanging Lamps, Students Lamps, etc.—and we challenge all competition in the matter of prices.

COMPLETE AND USEFUL DISPLAY OF CAMPING STOVES; EVERYTHING NEEDED ON WASH DAY; AGATE WARE, TINWARE, ETC.

W. E. Tuller of 2405 Bowditch street (fraternity) will spend his vacation at Sequoia.
S. Salisbury, a Phi Delta Theta, has left for Fort Bragg, Cal.
Miss Florence Hay of 2533 Durant avenue has gone to Dunfries, Cal.
G. H. M. L. Hand of 2218 Union street has moved to Encampment, Wyoming.
Miss Laura Bradford, a Phi Beta Phi, will spend the summer in Red Bluff.
F. H. Buck, a member of the Theta Delta Chi fraternity, has left for Vacaville.
Miss L. E. Scott, a Kappa Kappa Gamma, will spend the vacation in San Mateo.
Walter Sanger of 2428 Bancroft way will spend the summer on the Coast, California.
Miss Alice Holmes of the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority has gone to Riverside.
Miss Edith Harwood of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority has gone to Sacramento.
Harry H. Stoddard of the Delta Upsilon

WILL COMMENCE WORK.
WEISER, Idaho, May 19.—Vice-President and General Manager Heigbo and O. F. Paxton, general attorney for the Pacific & Idaho Northern Railroad have given it out that work will commence immediately on the extension of the road toward Thunder Mountains and will be extended as far as possible before winter puts a stop to the work. An attempt will be made to reach Payette Lake this season, one hundred miles from Weiser. From that point a narrow gauge line will be constructed to the Big Creek section of Thunder Mountain.
Prominent Deaths.
First-class Turkish and Russian Baths. Final service on the Coast performed. Attendants. Also swimming tank for ladies and gentlemen. This Piedmont car to Twenty-fourth street.

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THE LACE HOUSE
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A Noted Season for Ribbons
—which is natural because of the grand results produced by the world's best makers. We've a splendid display in every grade and style—come and see it.

A Period of Great Interest to Shoppers

—that is now. The season is changing, vacation time is at hand, schools close in two weeks, those who intend passing the summer at home are about to add to the home's attractiveness—in fact this is a period when wants multiply daily, even if the income doesn't. This means the practice of strict economy, the making of money go the farthest. At no store will the dollar, or the dime, accomplish more than at the Lace House. We know this is fully recognized, but a reminder may not come amiss.

Mohair Walking Skirts

Special \$2.95

This is distinctly a summer skirt; it is made of a heavy—but not too heavy—mohair, plaited and can be had in blue, black, brown and gray. The fine finish of the goods make it easy to shake off summer's dust.

Silk Gloves, extra strong tips—50c and up.

White Lawn Waists

The Waist Department is just now displaying splendid values in up-to-date white waists at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

There are 25 different styles at these prices and being bought late in the wholesale season, enabled us to secure them at a better, that is, at a lower price.

New styles in Jap. Silk Waists.

Special Values in Suit Cases

These special values possess double value at this time, when every other person is interested in getting off on a vacation. Special \$5.00.

A regular \$7.00 value made of extra toughened genuine cowhide strong sewing, reinforced corners, handy canvas shirt pockets and straps, 24 inches long—Special at \$5.00.

Special at \$1.75—Good, strong, 24-inch suit case suitable for lady or gentleman, steel frame, cowhide corners brass mountings, 24 inch.

AT \$1.25—Children's Suit case in same style as preceding item, 14 ins long. Other suit cases up to \$12.50.

See Display of New Wrist Bags.

Ladies' Outing Hats

—for the garden or camp places, where more utility than style is desired.

Sombreros and Alpine shapes: wide brim—50c and 75c.

Linen Crash Hats—genuine sunshades—50c.

White Duck Hats—very neat—75c.

Pretty Drapes for Summer Rooms.

Neckwear and Veilings

These two lines have a busy department to themselves, and they need it. The many novelties on display insure a steady crowd all day long.

Each new arrival of neckwear shows more dainty workmanship, more variety of colors and more effective ways of trimming. The wash neckwear embraces all grades from 25c to \$1.75.

Silk Neckwear—hundreds of rich pieces of resistance—50c to \$2.25.

VEILINGS are a summer necessity. The makers of ready-to-wear veils are forever sending out new ideas and of course in this up-to-date store you'll find all that is new. Prices 50c to \$2.50.

Complete line of malines or illusions and net veilings.

New Graduation Gowns for \$5.50.

A Timely Sale of Exquisite Dress Hats

Special at \$7.50

This is a new display, designed after it was definitely known just what would be most stylish for this season. There are about fifty of these beautiful hats, each an exclusive piece of clever workmanship and each, with ordinary pricing, would cost much more money. Some are to be seen in millinery display window, but more are inside, and as you know, you're always welcome to look. We always profit by comparison.

Many lines of new Flowers and Foliage.

Newer Silk Belts

Silk Belts are designed to harmonize with the latest ideas in waists and suits and consequently new designs are continually reaching us.

The latest Silk Belts are in many neatly shirred effects, in black and every seasonable color; styles include those with buckles and without. Prices 25c, 50c, 65c and up.

Fine Display of New Belt Buckles.

Children's Summer Coats

Here's another new line, and one glance compels you to admire them. They're just stylishly cute.

Made of linen, priced from \$2.50; of cotton faille, \$3.95; pongee, \$3.95, \$5.00; silk, \$6.00 and \$7.50.

There is good variety of styles and colors and the trimming leaves nothing to wish for.

AT \$3.95—Pretty, double-breasted coat of cotton faille with pique collar and brass buttons, slashed collar trimmed with cream bat-tenberg insertion.

AT \$3.95—Neat pongee coat piped with red on sleeves collar and cuffs, brass buttons.

AT \$6.00—Handsome silk coat in changeable red and blue, body of coat shirred on a lace-trimmed yoke, large leg o' mutton shirred sleeve.

Children's Sailor Hats—Special 25c.

A Charlotte Corday For Misses

For young ladies from 10 to 15 years there is not a more stylish summer hat than this new Charlotte Corday; it is a swell design, made of fine lawn, trimmed with a profusion of elegant Val lace and large pink and blue satin bows. Price \$3.95.

Will be found in Children's Wear Dept.

Imported Hand-made French Caps for 75c.

M'Call's Bazaar Patterns 10c, 15c,

—indispensable when making summer garments; save time, money and goods; a child can understand the instructions

OAKLAND LOOKED GOOD

MAN WHO WENT TO DENVER WAS PROUD OF HIS CITY.

At yesterday afternoon's session of the Bankers' Convention Secretary Jones of the Colorado Bankers' Association spoke about enlarging the methods of protecting bankers from burglars and forgers and of punishing those who rob or defraud members of the association in introducing his subject he took occasion to speak thus of Oakland and Oaklanders.

"We all know the Oakland citizen and the pride he takes in his town when he goes abroad and when he pays a visit to San Francisco.

"On one occasion I had the pleasure of meeting an Oakland man on a visit to Denver. He was walked around and shown some of the finest places we have in Denver and he would say 'Yes, yes, but you ought to see what we have in Oakland.' He was shown some of our banks, but he viewed them in the same listless manner and replied, 'But you ought to see the fine banks we have in Oakland.'"

"This same citizen died and was taken over the river. He was shown around and to him were pointed out the beauties of his city. But there was no change in his feeling and feeling and he used to exclaim 'This is pretty nice, but it is only like Oakland. Why, I thought you had things better in heaven.' 'Heaven,' exclaimed the guide 'why, this isn't heaven!'"

WILL METCALF RESIGN?

REPORTED THAT HE IS TIRED OF HIS CABINET POSITION.

Special Dispatch to San Francisco Call. WASHINGTON, May 18.—It was asserted here today on the authority of men having sources of information as to Cabinet affairs that Secretary Victor H. Metcalf of the Department of Commerce and Labor intended to resign his position of Secretary of the Navy on the retirement of Morton has fired of official engagements in business. He has not determined upon the time when he will give up his portfolio.

Metcalf has been found as the head of an executive department as congenial as he expected. There is neither glory nor money in being the head of a department that deals with prosy subjects as come under the control of the Secretary of Commerce and Labor.

When Metcalf left California to take the vacancy created by the retirement of George B. Cortelyou he determined that he would not return to the navy, hence his going from the Cabinet will be followed by his entry into active business life.

SON IS GIVEN HANDSOME BEQUEST

The will of the late John Campe has been filed for probate by his widow, Doris Campe, and the deceased's brother, Frederick Campe, who are named as executrix and executor in the will.

The estate of the deceased is valued at about \$100,000, and consists of cash to the amount of \$29,471, personal property and stocks, \$21,400, personal effects, \$3,000, and real estate in the city and San Francisco valued at between \$30,000 and \$40,000.

Of his share of the estate the deceased gives his wife \$5,000, and an allowance of \$100 a month until their son, John Campe, shall become of age, when he is to inherit the father's portion. The young man is now twenty years of age.

GREAT CHANGE From Change in Food.

The brains depends much more on the stomach than we are apt to suppose until we take thought in the matter. Feed the stomach on proper food easy to digest and containing the proper amount of phosphates and the healthy brain will respond to all demands. A notable housewife in Buffalo writes:

"The doctor diagnosed my trouble as a 'nervous affection of the stomach.' I was usually so nervous that I could not sit still for five minutes to read the newspaper, and to attend to my household duties was simply impossible. I doctored all the time with remedies, but medicine did no good.

"New pains came on all sorts of diet, but none of them agreed with me. I was almost discouraged, and when I tried Grape-Nuts I did so with many misgivings—I had no faith that it would succeed where everything else had failed.

"But it did succeed, and you don't know how glad I am that I tried it. I feel like a new person. I have gained weight and I don't have that terrible burning sensation in my stomach any more. I feel so strong again that I am surprised at myself. The street noises that used to irritate me so, I never notice now, and my mind is so clear that my household duties are a real pleasure."

Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Michigan.

There's a reason why this great change made in this woman.

The stomach and the brain had not been supplied with the right kind of food to rebuild and strengthen the nerve centers in these organs. It is absolutely folly to try to do this with medicine. There is but one sure way and that is to quit the old food that has failed and take on Grape-Nuts food which is more than half digested in the process of manufacture and is rich in the phosphate of potash contained in the natural grain, which unites with albumen and water—the only three substances that will make up the soft gray filling in the thousands of delicate nerve centers in the brain and body. Grape-Nuts food is a sure road back to health in all such cases.

BANKERS OF THE UNITED STATES

J. D. RADFORD OF SAN JOSE TELLS OF HIS TRIP EAST.

Joseph D. Radford, president of the First National Bank of San Jose, told of the work of delegates at the last convention of American Bankers' Association in New York, as follows:

"At the request of our secretary, Mr. Welch, I have prepared the following report, and desire, at this time, to present the same. The rapid growth of the American Bankers' Association in the last few years, and the fact that New York was the meeting place, conspired to make this the largest gathering of its kind ever held. Banks everywhere were represented. No state or territory was overlooked. Some states furnished hundreds of delegates. All colors were in evidence, white, black and yellow.

"The papers read by the delegates had, fully justified the large attendance. I feel safe in saying it was the best meeting the Association has ever held, although I may be a poor judge, seeing that it is the only one I have attended. The scope of papers read covered the full field of practical banking.

"Much of the proceedings were just the final action on questions that had been thrashed out in former conventions, or worked out in the executive council, were subject to debate, but in every case I think the recommendation of the council was concurred in.

FIDELITY INSURANCE.

"The storm center of the whole meeting was the report of the committee on fidelity insurance. This committee had been in existence for four years, and had compiled statistics on rates for surety bonds, had recommended a standard form of bond, and now came forward with a plan looking toward the carrying of this form of insurance by the banks themselves. Their recommendation is covered by the following paragraphs from the report of the committee:

"Your committee has again carefully considered the question of fidelity insurance in its various forms, and is firmly convinced as before, that the bank and most feasible plan which covers the ground and comes to the element of safety is the one recommended at the New Orleans and San Francisco conventions, namely, the creation of a guaranty fund for the benefit of the members contributing to the same, under the management of trustees. The idea contemplated in this plan is the creation of a fund of premiums at a reasonable but sufficient rate to cover the risk and to create an ample surplus to the guaranty fund, involving no liability to any one, other than the premium paid.

"This report sounded very reasonable and quite harmless as it left the matter entirely optional with each bank as to whether it wanted or wanted not. Other paragraphs from the same report showed that about one-third of the banks were using the plan of bond recommended by the committee, and that since the work had been in progress the rate had become a uniform and had resulted in a reduction on an average of 85 cents per thousand on insurance carried by the banks.

"The report does not pass, and before being fully disposed of, it was discussed very at length and with great interest. At the end, when every one had had his say, the matter was taken and the recommendation sustained. The measure did not pass.

LAW ON FORGED CHECKS.

"Another matter under discussion and one which met with better success was a recommendation from the committee on uniform laws relating to forged checks, reading as follows: 'No bank shall be liable to a depositor for payment by it of a forged or raised check, unless within ten days after the receipt of such payment, such depositor shall notify the bank that the check is paid or raised.' This law has already been adopted in twenty-four states, and its reasonableness should make its passage a matter of time. California is one of the states wherein the law has not yet been passed.

NATIONAL TREASURER.

"Perhaps the most interesting address made before the convention, was almost at its close, when Elus H. Roberts, Treasurer of the American Bankers' Association, spoke on 'Strength and Weakness of American Finance.' His address in carrying in his mind a mass of figures, and of real things out in a perfect torrent without hesitation, was remarkable. It seemed quite clear that Mr. Osler, in working out his theory of the usefulness of human life, had never been fortunate enough to meet Treasurer Roberts. If he has he must have made at least one exception to his rule. He handled his subject in a masterly manner and his address was really the heavy weight of the convention. All who heard him in San Francisco in 1903 can appreciate his kindly manner and the benevolent countenance quite out of harmony with his subject of 'Dollars and Cents.'

WAR, WEICOM.

"This report does not pretend to cover all the ground of the convention, but only to touch upon the salient points. It has nothing to say of the warm welcome extended by the New York Bankers, nor the abundance in the way of entertainment lavished upon us. San Francisco had set the standard in this respect very high in 1903, and our entertainers did not mean to be outdone. They did very well, and any comparisons in this respect would be out of place and ill-timed.

FULL-BLOODED NEGRO.

"Several interesting episodes, not properly scheduled in the program, were thrown in to give good measure. One of these was the address of John Mitchell, Jr., president of the Mechanics' Savings Bank of Virginia, from Richmond, Va. He was a full-blooded negro and was recognized by the chair and in answer to an asperser cast up his people by a speaker on the preceding day. He gave us an interesting account of what progress has been made by the negro in the South. His logic was high. His address and speech were exceptionally forcible and free from racial dialect. At the close, he was cheered and a banner was made a good defense for his people. His main point was that negroes were worthy as well as whites, and all that the better class of blacks asked, was a chance to work and become producers and to demonstrate in a substantial way that they could manage for themselves.

"This report would seem to be incomplete without what regarding G. Bigelow was the presiding officer occupying the highest office within the gift of the American Bankers' Association, and as such, he made a very good impression and rather put before you a standard for all bankers in general, and Mr. Bigelow in particular. Nothing can be gained by an analysis of his cases and notes, but it is worth while in allowing himself to be drawn into speculation entirely foreign to banking. Others have been wrong on the same rock and perhaps more will follow, but none can go down in disaster without abundant warning.

"Banking and speculation do not mix any better than oil and water. The trust-broker, who has this yet to learn stands on dangerous ground, to say the least."

KING EDWARD HOLDS A LEVEE

LONDON, May 19.—King Edward held a levee in the throne room of St. James Palace today. Ambassador Choate presented Louis Edman, new third secretary of the American Embassy. The only other American presented was Francis H. Leggett of New York.

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WAITERS HOLD MEETING

DELEGATE TO NATIONAL CONVENTION MAKES HIS REPORT.

At the meeting of the Cooks and Waiters' Alliance yesterday afternoon Charles Heckenham, the delegate to the National Convention, made an address on the work at the meetings. He got back from Kansas City yesterday morning.

He said that Jere L. Sullivan had been unanimously elected secretary-treasurer of the joint convention of the International League of Bartenders and the Hotel and Restaurant Employees' International Alliance. The local here had instructed Heckenham to cast his vote for Sullivan, having formed a good opinion of him when he was here last December.

There was one initiation at the meeting. Five applications for membership were received and accepted.

The meeting yesterday was the first held by the union since the change from Tuesday meetings. The sessions will be held in future on Thursday afternoons twice a month and Thursday evenings the other two times.

MATERIAL TEAMSTERS.

William Greer, who has held the offices of secretary-treasurer and business agent in the Material Teamsters' Union for several years, sent in his resignation at last night's meeting of the local. It was decided to have separate men for the different offices in future. Accordingly William Warner, the president, was made business agent also and J. Stahl was elected as secretary-treasurer.

There were two initiations at the meeting. Several applications are on file and will be acted upon at the next meeting.

MOST PICTURE QUE RIDE

On the Pacific Coast will be enjoyed by those who go on the excursion to Willits next Sunday. Between Ukiah and Willits the train ascends the mountain for seven and one-half miles, affording a magnificent panoramic view. Round trip tickets \$2.00. Each ticket sold insured a seat. Tickets now on sale at 650 Market street and Tiburon Ferry. Tiburon Ferry, foot of Market street, San Francisco, at 7.30 a. m., and on the return leave Willits at 4 p. m.

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From the dainty white Canvas Oxfords, of which we sell many for outing wear, to the strong, sensible street shoes, the most exacting feminine taste could demand no kind or style of shoes or Oxfords that we cannot supply.

A specially good value this week—"The Savoy" Ladies' Shoe or Oxfords, soft kid, or patent colt, military heel, all sizes and widths at \$2.50 good \$3.50 value.

Look at our window display.

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WILL GO BACK TO SANTA FE

RESIDENT OF THE RAILWAY SAYS MORTON WILL BE WELCOME.

CHICAGO, May 19.—The Tribune today says E. P. Ripley, President of the Santa Fe Railway, when asked last night regarding the report that Paul Morton, Secretary of the Navy and former second vice president of the Santa Fe, would renew his relations with the railroad upon leaving the Cabinet, that nothing definite was known at that time. Mr. Morton would be most apt to have Mr. Morton assume official relations with the road, that Mr. Morton would be in Chicago next week and that some arrangement might possibly be made then.

It has been in California lately," said Mr. Ripley, "and have not seen Mr. Morton for three months and do not know what his plans are. The Santa Fe would be glad to have him

BAIL FORFEITED IN SUPERIOR COURT

"Morris Murphy! Come into Court. Morris Murphy! Come into Court. Morris Murphy! Come into Court." Three times Bailiff Scanlan called the names of a man wanted for pocket picking this afternoon but only echoes answered.

Morris Murphy and Albert J. Norton, charged with complicity in the robbery of an old man by the name of J. D. Inlow, as he was getting off the train last February it is believed have skipped and left their bondsmen in the lurch.

Murphy's trial was set for yesterday morning but he was not on hand and the case was postponed until 2 o'clock in the afternoon, but the wait did not bring him forth. The bondsmen for Murphy are Albert Maldonado and John A. Driole of San Francisco, who have qualified in the sum of \$2000 each.

Norton's bondsmen are F. S. Osgood and H. L. Osgood, who have qualified for \$2,000 each.

Neither of the men have been seen around since the conviction of their pal, George Thompson, of the crime. Fearing to stand trial after his conviction it is presumed that they fled

MONGOLIAN IN THE SCHOOLS

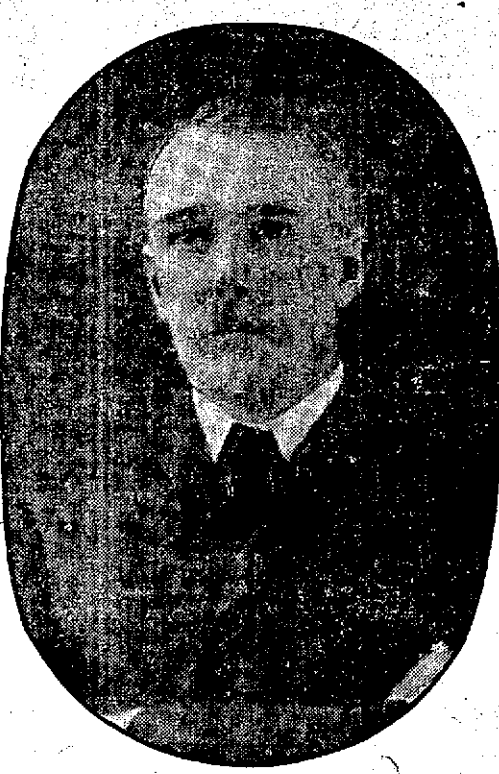
CHITTA, Siberia, May 19.—The Congress of Buriate has petitioned the Minister of the Interior to permit the introduction of the Mongolian language in the schools, for permission to publish a newspaper in the Mongolian language and that they be officially denominated Buddhists and not Lamaists.

YACHT REPORTED.

NEWPORT, R. I., May 19.—The Nantucket Lightship signaled to the Government wireless station here today that the identity of the vessel which was sighted at midnight had not been fully established, but there was little doubt that it was the Valhalla, one of the contestants in the ocean race for the Emperor William cup. No additional yachts had been picked up at that hour. The weather was fine and the lightship reported twenty-four mile southwest wind, with the sea moderate to rough.



H. S. FLETCHER, CASHIER BANK OF WATSONVILLE, WHO RESPONDED TO MAYOR'S WELCOME TO BANKERS.



FRED A. MATHIESEN, CASHIER BANK OF LIVERMORE.



R. M. WELCH, SAN FRANCISCO SAVINGS UNION AND SECRETARY BANKERS' ASSOCIATION.



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HOW THE BANKERS FIRST ORGANIZED

History of the Association in California—Prominent Men in State Interested.

The California Bankers' Association was organized in Los Angeles, March 11, 1891. It has been in existence since that time and has gradually increased in membership and influence, so that it is now one of the most important organizations of the kind in this country. It is fashioned after the American Bankers' Association, having, however, the special welfare of the banks and bankers of California at heart. It looks after their interests as the American Bankers' Association does after those of the country. It holds one convention each year, where there is a reunion of old acquaintances and the forming of new friendships and where the experience of members and new ideas in finance are discussed with a view of increasing the intelligence and advancing the interests of both individual members and the organization itself.

INCEPTION.

The organization was given birth at the instance of the Los Angeles Clearing House, which, on the 14th of January, 1891, sent to the bankers of the State, the following letter:

"To the Bankers of California—Greeting: To induce harmony and promote the welfare and usefulness of banking institutions of California, and to secure the proper consideration of questions regarding the financial and commercial usages, customs and laws affecting the banking interests of our great State, and especially to adopt such rules and methods as will insure uniformity of action in the conduct of our institutions, the Los Angeles Clearing House extends an invitation to assemble at Los Angeles on the 11th day of March, proximo, for the purpose of organizing a State Bankers' Association.

"Papers on five subjects will be given place if practicable.

"As the State Citrus Fair opens in this city on Tuesday, March 10, continuing through the week, hotel accommodations should be secured at the earliest date practicable. Any assistance desired in this or other particulars will be rendered on application.

"Your acknowledgment is requested.

"Very respectfully,

"GEORGE H. STEWART, Sec'y.

"A. D. Childress,

"W. F. Bosbyshell,

"H. W. Hellman,

"Clearing House Committee."

EARLY DELEGATES.

In response to this invitation, the following banks and bankers registered in attendance on the convention:

Bank of Anaheim, Eliza James, president; Placer County Bank, Auburn, N. D. Rideout, president; Bank of Butte County, Chico, N. D. Rideout, president; First National Bank, Colton, John W. Davis, president; Consolidated Bank, Elsinore, M. A. Baird; Bank of Eureka, Geo. H. Stewart (proxy); Fallbrook Bank, J. A. Prusti, president; Farmer's Bank, Fresno, W. W. Phillips, vice-president; Fresno National Bank, H. D. Colson, president; Bank of Central California, Fresno, Louis Einstein, president; First National Bank, Fresno, Louis Einstein; People's Savings Bank, Fresno, Louis Einstein; Bank of Hollister, T. S. Hawkins, president; Farmers and Merchants' Bank, Los Angeles, H. W. Hellman, vice-president; John Miller, cashier; Los Angeles County Bank, John E. Plater, president; Geo. H. Stewart, cashier; First National Bank, Geo. H. Bonebrake,

pres. F. C. Hows, cashier; Southern California National Bank, Los Angeles, L. N. Breed, president, W. F. Bosbyshell, vice-president; University Bank, Los Angeles, R. M. Widney, president; Geo. L. Arnold, cashier; The City Bank, Los Angeles, A. D. Childress, president; Johns Park, cashier; California Bank, T. J. Weldon, cashier; J. Frankfield, vice-president; National Bank of California, Los Angeles, J. M. C. Marble, president; Perry Wildman, ex-State Bank Commissioner; German American Savings Bank, W. M. Sheldon, vice-president; M. N. Avery, secretary; Broadway Bank, Los Angeles, H. Sinabau, president; State Loan and Trust Company, Los Angeles, John Bryson Sr., vice-president, J. F. Towell, manager; Los Angeles Savings Bank, W. M. Caswell, secretary; East Side Bank, Los Angeles, W. J. Washburn, president; Main Street Savings Bank, Los Angeles, J. B. Lankershim, president; Citizens' Bank, Los Angeles, T. S. C. Lowe, president, T. W. Brotherton, vice-president; Security Savings Bank and T. Co., Los Angeles, F. N. Myers, president, J. F. Sartori, cashier; Savings Bank of Southern California, John N. Hunt, secretary; Bank of Madera, M. A. Baird, vice-president; Granite Bank, Monrovia, E. F. Spence, president; First National Bank, Monrovia, J. F. Sartori, vice-president; Rideout Bank, Norman Rideout, president; Bank of National City, C. B. Whitteley, assistant cashier; First National Bank, Oakland, George J. Ainsworth; Ontario State Bank, G. T. Stamm, president; Bank of Orange, B. G. Balcom, cashier; Bank of Rideout, Smith & Co., Oroville, N. D. Rideout, president; First National Bank, Pasadena, A. H. Congre, cashier; Pasadena National Bank, T. P. Lukens, cashier; San Gabriel Valley Bank, H. W. Magee, president; Perris Valley Bank, James Patterson Jr., cashier; First National Bank, Pomona, Stoddard Jess, cashier; People's Bank, Pomona, John V. Dele, cashier; Bank of Tehama County, Red Bluff; First National Bank, Redlands, F. P. Morrison, president; First National Bank, Riverside, A. H. Naftzger, president; First National Bank, Santa Ana, M. M. Crookshank, cashier; Commercial Bank, Santa Ana, D. Halliday, president; W. K. James, cashier; First National Bank, Santa Barbara, A. L. Lincoln, cashier; Commercial Bank, Santa Barbara, W. B. Metcalf, cashier; Santa Barbara County National Bank, W. M. Eddy, president; Farmers' Exchange Bank, San Bernardino, Richard Gird, president; S. F. Zombro, cashier; San Bernardino National Bank, J. W. Davis, president; First National Bank, San Diego, W. D. Woolwine, cashier; Bank of Commerce, San Diego, G. W. Jorres, cashier; Anglo-Californian Bank, San Francisco, A. L. Seligman, assistant cashier; Bank of California, San Francisco, Thomas Brown, cashier; First National Bank, San Francisco, G. W. Kline, assistant cashier; Nevada Bank, San Francisco, I. W. Hellman, president; San Francisco Savings Union, San Francisco, Lovell White, cashier; Pacific Bank, San Francisco, R. H. McDonald, president; First National Bank, Santa Monica, E. J. Vawter, cashier; First National Bank, Santa Paula, C. H. McKevett, president; Bank of San Pedro, Wm. G. Kerchoff, president; California State Bank, Sacramento, N. D. Rideout, president; People's Savings Bank, Sacramento, Wm. Beckman, president; Bank of

Sanger, W. W. Phillips (proxy); Bank of Selma, D. S. Snodgrass, cashier; Bank of Tustin, W. S. Bartlett, vice-president; Bank of Ventura, E. P. Foster, president; J. A. Walker, cashier, L. C. McKeeby, vice-president; Wm. Collins & Sons' Bank, Ventura, J. S. Collins, cashier; Harrell & Son's Bank, Ventura, A. J. Harrell, manager; Pajaro Valley Bank, Watsonville, Thomas Brown (proxy).

There was also in attendance by special invitation, A. Geberding and C. H. Dunsomoor of Oakland, State Bank Commissioners; J. E. Farnum of Oakland, ex-State Bank Commissioner; W. H. Chamberlain, National Bank Examiner.

CALLED TO ORDER.

The meeting was called to order by George H. Stewart, secretary of the Los Angeles Clearing House, who stated briefly the purpose of the gathering. He then introduced Henry T. Hazard, the then Mayor of Los Angeles, who said that, while that city had been honored by many conventions, yet, none of the gatherings had the important and vital matters to deal with which the convention of bankers had.

Hon. E. F. Spence, president of the Los Angeles Clearing House, also delivered an address, in which, among other things, he referred to members of the banking profession as follows: "Bankers are only the agents of the people; a banker is the trusted friend of the depositor. The man of means, as well as the laboring man, the servant girl and the servant boy, who save a few dollars a month are comparatively as much interested in the character of our banking institutions and have as much at stake in the strength and stability of our financial fabrics as the richest in the land."

SCOPE OF ORGANIZATION.

The scope of a State Bankers' Association was set forth by A. D. Childress of the City Bank of Los Angeles, who spoke in part as follows: "In accord and harmony with the idea that 'in the multiplicity of counselors there is wisdom,' the propriety and necessity of a State Association to bring bankers together for the discussion of matters pertinent to general business; of vital importance to their own welfare and success; the State's advancement, and the prosperity of all classes cannot for a moment be questioned or gainsaid. And, too, while we may meet for the first time as strangers, our continued intercourse will imperceptibly ripen many sympathies, and beneath the inexorable form of business will be born many cordial friendships which will change the usual 'Yours truly' correspondent into 'Sincerely your friend.'"

GOOD-FELLOWSHIP.

"Nothing so softens and smooths down the hard places in the rough and rugged paths, which all business men travel during their lives of varied up and down experiences as frequent intercourse, and good-fellowship. I might lay down as a very broad and incontrovertible proposition that, the genius of our state was not created to live alone either as bachelor or business man. Contact with one's fellows brightens the wit, broadens the soul, and, in fact, expands the scope of one's thoughts and feelings until everything 'round takes on a rosy hue of cheerfulness and contentment, the opposite of that cheerless gloom and despondency which inevitably envelops and environs the secluded hermit."

POWER OF MONEY.

"We meet as friends in a common cause but, burdened with no selfish interests and purposes. We greet each other hailing from and in the interest and furtherance of every section of this, the grandest and greatest State of all the galaxy of our most glorious Union; from Red Bluff to National City; from the base of the snow-capped and hoary Sierras to the placid but ever-rolling waters of our Western coast. It is truly said that the banking fraternity represents the most powerful factor of civilization; the highest type of property the centuries have evolved and that is money. "The operations of the banking sys-

tem underlie and permeate all business interests.

"The system stands in relation to the people pre-eminent and different from all other business pursuits. It is, to a large degree, the foundation stone upon which our trade and commerce rest; it multiplies the means of development; facilitates a rapid and profitable exchange of products, and promotes alike the best interests of capital and labor."

COMMITTEES NAMED.

On motion of A. L. Seligman, of the Anglo-Californian Bank of San Francisco, a committee of credentials was appointed and this committee comprised A. L. Seligman, of the Anglo-Californian Bank, San Francisco; W. F. Bosbyshell, of the Southern California National Bank, Los Angeles; W. D. Woolwine, of First National Bank, San Diego; Norman Rideout, of The Rideout Bank, Marysville; W. W. Phillips, of Farmers' Bank, Fresno, and Lovell White, of San Francisco Savings Union, San Francisco.

A. D. Childress, of the City Bank, Los Angeles, moved that the chair appoint a committee of five on organization, and the motion was carried and the following were named: A. D. Childress, City Bank, Los Angeles; G. W. Kline, First National Bank, of San Francisco; J. S. Cane, Bank of Tehama County, Red Bluff; Stoddard Jess, First National Bank, Pomona, and T. S. Hawkins, Bank of Hollister, Hollister.

THE CONSTITUTION.

At the instance of C. E. Palmer, of the Union National Bank of this city, a committee on constitution and by-laws was appointed, the following being selected for that important duty: C. E. Palmer, of the Union National Bank, Oakland; R. H. McDonald, president of Pacific Bank, San Francisco; R. M. Widney, president of University Bank, Los Angeles; Wm. M. Eddy, president Santa Barbara County National Bank, and George H. Bonebrake, president Los Angeles National Bank.

A paper on "Notes Versus Accounts," by Frank Miller, of the National Bank of D. O. Mills, of Sacramento, was then read.

A TRIP ABROAD.

The author of this paper is also, the author of a pamphlet entitled "My Trip Abroad," which has just been distributed gratis among the members of the association, containing letters from Europe by Mr. Miller, which were published in some of the Sacramento papers. This distribution was made by way of recognizing the courtesy extended by the association to Mr. Miller, through a cablegram of good fellowship sent him while abroad when the last convention was held in Los Angeles.

PERMANENT NAME.

In the afternoon the report of the committee on permanent organization was adopted, by which the organization was styled "The California Bankers' Association," which name it has since retained.

MODEL ORGANIC LAW.

These instruments are models of brevity, clearness and terseness. The former contains only nine articles and the latter has only two sections. Both are conservative and show, in an excellent manner, the prudence and foresight of these men of money, and an example of this may be found in the following:

"No opinions expressed, principles advocated, theories advanced or policies suggested by any party or person, however presented, shall be deemed to have had the endorsement of this Association, except the question of so endorsing shall have been referred to a standing or special committee, shall have been reported upon by such committee, and shall have been specifically voted upon, receiving a majority of the votes of those present at an open session of a convention of the Association.

"This item of the constitution shall

be published in every report of the proceedings of any convention, and where endorsements are given the fact shall be noted in the report of proceedings in that behalf."

PURPOSE OF ASSOCIATION.

The purpose of the Association is set forth as follows:

"In order to promote the general welfare and usefulness of banks and banking institutions, and to secure uniformity of action, together with the practical benefits to be derived from personal acquaintance and from the discussion of subjects of importance to the banking and commercial interests of this State, especially in order to secure the proper consideration of questions regarding the financial usages, customs and laws which affect the banking interests of the entire State and for protection against loss by crime, we have to submit the following Constitution and By-laws for the California Bankers' Association."

ELIGIBILITY.

Any national or state bank, trust company, savings bank, banking firm or individual doing a banking business within the State of California may become a member of the association upon the payment of annual dues, subject to the approval of a majority of the executive council, as follows: Five dollars for a bank with a capital and surplus of \$50,000 or less; ten dollars for a bank whose capital and surplus is more than \$50,000, but does not exceed \$500,000, and twenty dollars for a bank with a capital and surplus of more than \$500,000.

Each banking institution is entitled to one vote at each convention.

NO VOTING BY PROXY IS ALLOWED.

After the first adjournment at each convention the delegation from each county elects a county vice-president who has supervision of the business of the association in the county in which he is elected.

DETECTION OF CRIME.

The executive committee appoints a Standing Protective Committee of three whose names are not made public. The duty of this committee is to control action looking to the detection, prosecution and punishment of persons attempting to cause or causing loss by crime to any member of the association. This committee when called upon for aid by any member of the association, through the secretary, must take such steps as it may deem proper to arrest and prosecute the party charged with crime. No expense or liability, however, can be incurred beyond the amount of funds in the treasury especially appropriated for that purpose.

This committee is prohibited from compounding with parties charged with crime or their agents or attorneys.

All members of the association, when called upon by the secretary in behalf of the Protective Committee for information or aid, must promptly respond by giving all assistance in their power; and all members shall, at all times, notify the secretary, who shall promptly notify the Committee of any attempted or accomplished crime reported to him as likely to affect other members of the association.

FIRST OFFICERS.

The first officers elected were as follows:

President, Thomas Brown, of the Bank of California, San Francisco. Vice-President, I. W. Hellman, of the Nevada Bank, San Francisco. Secretary, Geo. H. Stewart, of the Los Angeles County Bank, Los Angeles.

Treasurer, G. W. Kline, of the First National Bank, San Francisco.

Members of the Executive Council: A. D. Childress, of the City Bank, Los Angeles; N. D. Rideout, of the California State Bank, Sacramento; Wm. M. Eddy, of the Santa Barbara County Bank, Santa Barbara; T. S. Hawkins, of the Bank of Hollister, Hollister; A. L. Seligman, of the Anglo-Californian Bank, San Francisco; C. E. Palmer, of the Union National Bank, Oakland; Lovell White, of the San

Francisco Savings Union, San Francisco; W. D. Woolwine, of the First National Bank, San Diego; W. W. Phillips, of the Farmers Bank, Fresno.

RAPID DEVELOPMENT.

The movement thus inaugurated was apparently a popular one, because when the association met in San Francisco in the following October for what it termed its first annual convention, it numbered one hundred and fifty-one members out of the 246 banks then existing in the State.

Its growth and development were somewhat interrupted by the disturbance of 1893, but, in due course, it resumed its march of progress, and today a bank that is not a member of the association is regarded as at least slow to grasp an opportunity.

CONVENTIONS HELD.

Exclusive of the convention whereat the association was organized and including that which opens today, there have been twelve conventions at places and dates as follows:

At San Francisco in September, 1891.

At San Francisco in October, 1892, coincidentally with the Convention of the American Bankers' Association.

At San Francisco in February, 1894, when the organization was trying to "find itself" after the disturbance of 1893. The Midwinter Fair was the nominal pretext for meeting in San Francisco at that time.

At Fresno in October, 1895.

At Los Angeles in April, 1897.

At San Francisco in October, 1898.

At Sacramento in May, 1900.

At San Jose in May 1901.

At San Jose again in May, 1903.

At San Francisco in October, 1903, again coincidentally with the Convention of the American Bankers' Association.

At Los Angeles in May, 1904.

At Oakland, May, 1905.

PAST PRESIDENTS.

The presidents of the California Bankers' Association to date have been as follows:

Thomas Brown, Bank of California, San Francisco.

I. W. Hellman, Nevada Bank, San Francisco.

Lovell White, San Francisco Savings Union.

N. D. Rideout, Placer County Bank, Auburn.

J. J. Valentine, Oakland.

Charles Aetschul, New York.

J. M. Elliott, First National Bank, Los Angeles.

James K. Lynch, First National Bank, San Francisco.

A. H. R. Schmidt, German Savings and Loan Society, San Francisco.

There are now 255 bank members of the association and the number is constantly increasing.

At the last convention of the association which was held in Los Angeles one year ago, the Treasurer's report at that time showed a balance of \$1,918.98 on hand.

COMING TO OAKLAND.

At that convention also, the move of Oakland, bankers to secure the convention for this year for Oakland was successful. It was brought to the attention of the Convention by George Meredith, cashier of the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank, who spoke as follows:

"Gentlemen, we have an organization known as the Associated Banks of Oakland, of which my good friend Mr. Burpee is chairman and I am secretary. Just before coming to this convention we had a special meeting of representatives of this organization for the purpose of inviting the association to meet next year with us in Oakland, and we drew up at that time an invitation which is signed by the officers of the banks in Oakland." The invitation was read as follows: "Oakland, Cal., May 12th, 1904. To the Officers and Members of the California Bankers' Association, Gentlemen: The Associated Banks of Oakland cordially invite the California Bankers' Association to hold its next annual convention at Oakland. We will esteem it an honor to entertain the members of the convention,

and trust that our invitation may be accepted.

"THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS.

"W. W. GARTHWAITHE, Cashier.

"CENTRAL BANK.

"ANSON T. BLAKE, Cashier.

"CALIFORNIA BANK.

"F. H. BROOKS, Cashier.

"THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

"L. G. BURPEE, Cashier.

"THE UNION SAVINGS BANK.

"WM. G. HENSHAW, President.

"STATE SAVINGS BANK.

"J. C. McMULLEN, President.

"SECURITY BANK & TRUST CO.

"CHAS. A. SMITH, Cashier.

"UNION NATIONAL BANK.

"C. E. PALMER, Cashier.

"FARMERS & MERCHANTS SAVINGS BANK.

"GEO. S. MEREDITH, Cashier."



Closing Day of a Great Summer Special

On Saturday we will renew our great special offer of pure lace silk gloves

at 65c pair

These gloves are regularly sold at \$1.50; they are elbow length, new and stylish; there are just about enough for one day's selling.

VELVET MOCHA GLOVE \$1.00 pair

This is a dollar glove that wears as well as some of the \$1.50 gloves at other stores. It has a single, large medallion clasp; plaid, woven; imperial embroidery; in slate, heaven, oakwood and brown, and Spring's newest shades.

THE AMAZON \$1.00 pair

* This is one of the most popular of all gloves; it is a hard-wearing glove made of excellent quality of cape skin, strongly stitched; all desirable colors; a glove with "something to it."

AUTO GAUNTLETS

From the East has just come a splendid line of up-to-date gauntlets; styles include all needs of ladies and gentlemen. Prices:

\$50c to \$3.50 pair

Display of Parasols

Outing Parasols, all styles..... \$5.00
Misses' Parasols, all styles..... \$4.00
Dress Parasols, all styles..... \$3.00
Grass-Linen Parasols, very popular..... \$2.00
Pongee Parasols, very popular..... \$1.50
White Parasols, plain or fancy..... \$1.00 to \$3.50



625 Thirteenth Street.

Some Society Events

WOMAN'S PAGE

About Bachelors

Why Man Doesn't Marry

The Bachelor is Usually a Bachelor By Choice and Not By Force of Circumstances.

There seems to be a surprising number of reasons why men eschew matrimony.

Here is another of them. It seems that many young men feel that they cannot support their wives in the luxury to which they have been accustomed, and so are afraid to undertake the responsibility.

Now, this reason may often keep a man from proposing to a girl, but it does not keep him from making love to her and doing his best to make her care for him, and the man who never intends to marry has no business to make love.

The man who hesitates to ask a girl to join her lot with his merely because he feels she will have to give up a few luxuries usually does the girl a great injustice.

The girl who marries a poor man marries for love, and no sacrifice would be so great as living without him. She would rather live in poverty with him than in riches with any one else.

Half the great fortunes of today have been made by men who married young.

And the wives have done their share toward the fortune building by econ-

omy, sympathy and encouragement. Love for wife and family has kept many a man human and lovable who might otherwise have developed into a mere money grubbing machine.

The trouble with most of us ungrateful mortals is that we want too much.

Shouldn't youth and health and love be enough to fill any cup of happiness to overflowing?

But no; we want a thousand other things besides. The women want clothes and pretty house fixings, and the men want money and power, and both want excitement and amusement.

But, thank goodness, there is one thing that neither can get on without and that is love.

And so love leavens all the mass of discontent and keeps us from utter demoralization.

Every young wife likes to feel that she is doing her share toward making both ends meet, and the woman who is obliged to keep both mind and hands busy is far happier than she who has nothing to do but amuse herself.

When a man of limited means marries of course he has to give up many of his bachelor pastimes. The money that meant luxury for one provides

only necessities for two.

Before marriage it was very sweet to spend his extra money on violets, candy and theaters. After marriage it is not at all exciting to spend it on coal or ice.

But he can't have everything, and it is simply a choice as to which he loves best, the girl or freedom from responsibility.

Because, after all, Mr. Bachelor, it is not so much that you hate to deprive the girl of luxuries as that you hate to undertake the responsibility of providing for two instead of one.

The bachelor is usually bachelor by choice, not by force of circumstances.

A word to the wise is sufficient, and it might be said to all these self-sacrificing (?) gentlemen, if you are in love with a girl and are making enough to support two in even the most modest manner, do not hesitate to tell her so.

Let her have some choice in the matter. You have made her love you, so she has the right.

The halving of joys and sharing of sorrows has many compensations.

Loneliness is one of the most desperate ills that ever befalls the human being.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Lillian Russell Fond of the Bath-Tub.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Lillian Russell has rented the \$200,000 place of Thomas H. Thomas, in Bay Ridge, and will live there this summer.

It is one of the largest estates in the city and covers almost a whole block between First and Second avenues at Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets.

"I used to make fun of Brooklyn," Miss Russell said the other day, "but I now find the joke was on me. I wish I could recall the wasted years when I did not live in Brooklyn."

The simple life will have to strive with the strenuous at the Russell home this summer. She intends to lead both. She has mapped out a schedule for the whole summer and will live by this schedule. It is a program overflowing with baths. Miss Russell believes that to baths she owes her perennial beauty. Just listen to this daily program:

Morning devoted strenuously to sleep.

Rise at noon, may be, if she feels like it.

Bath.

A turn at tossing the medicine ball. (This is said to be good to keep down obesity.)

Breakfast and then a horseback ride through Prospect Park and survey of the baby carriages.

Bath.

A few games of tennis.

Bath.

"I bathe about five times a day during the summer," said Miss Russell. Of course, I exercise a great deal more than the average woman and the exercise is the kind to make me need a bath. I believe in bathing every time after perspiration."

SOMETHING ABOUT EYES OF WOMEN.

Letting the eyes "remain as nature put them there" is a very good thing. But it is no harm to experiment just a very little with them now and then. One must experiment, not with the eyes as much as with the lids, and the complexion around the eyes, for it is very easy to injure the eye ball and, when one does so, one injures also the sight.

In a chat a London belle disclosed some of her eye secrets.

"My eyes are beautiful," said she, "because I know how to make them so."

"They are a deep blue. And for that reason I generally wear sapphires. Sapphires, worn with blue eyes, will bring out the color of your eyes."

"Here is a rule for any and every woman to follow: Let your brooch catch the spots in your eyes. It will bring out their color and make your eyes seem larger and brighter."

"Women who wear pearl collars night do worse. But it would be a good thing if there could be a pendant to match the 'spots' in the eyes. And here are other things to be considered when you want to make your eyes pretty."

"Don't forget that to be beautiful the eyes must be large. Now, you cannot hollow out the eye socket. And you cannot pencil the eyes without observation, and you cannot paint them on, nor larger, nor can you darken the lids. Nothing looks worse than the

made-up eye and nothing shows more quickly the utter carelessness of the wearer. But you can treat the eyes and make them larger in that way.

"The eyes can be treated by making the face thinner. And this is the way to do it: If the face is too fat it means that the body is too fat and that the weight must be reduced. This is always very simple and the rules for it are diet and exercise. No one dieting and exercising can fail to reduce the weight."

"But, sometimes, after the body is reduced, the face will still be too fat around the eyes. And this means that the eyes are bloated. The flesh is puffed up. There must be something done to reduce the inflammation or bloating."

"Holding a warm cloth over the eyes, not a hot cloth, but a medium warm one, dipped in warm boracic acid, will often reduce the swelling around the eyes. It should be kept warm for about half an hour. Again the swelling may be reduced by going without a meal. A heavy meal will cause a puffiness under the eyes; and the woman who eats a big dinner and goes to bed early, will waken with sacs under her eyes, enough to scare away spooks. There is something very ghastly about these big dark bags beneath the eyes."

"Going without a meal will banish these eye sacs and make the eyes much prettier. Don't be afraid of getting hollow-eyed by hunger. It will take

some time for a fat-faced woman to become hollow-eyed in the eyes through going without her food. She will go back to the table and eat long before hollows begin to show underneath her eyes.

"How do I keep my lids in such good condition? By resting them," concluded this woman.—Brooklyn Eagle.

CONCERNING WOMEN.

Some interesting stories are to hand regarding the fraternization of Russian and Japanese soldiers during the present war. The Russians on the Sha are beginning to understand Japanese and in consequence there is much friendly communication between the rank and file of both armies. Recently a Russian addressed a letter to the Japanese, asking for the gift of a photograph of a Japanese girl. He tied the epistle to a branch of a tree, where it was seen by a Japanese soldier, who cut out a portrait from an illustrated magazine, placed it in an envelope and tied it to the same branch. Subsequently he found there a letter of thanks, together with five rubles.

"I am continually surprised at the rudeness of people in referring to old age," said a lady recently, who is getting along in years. Acquaintances who are no doubt kindly intentioned as they take time from busy lives to visit with me, express astonishment that I am able to see to knit or to sew. I feel as though they must also be smothering surprise that I exhibit signs of intelligence. All such personalities seem to me exceedingly rude, yet one such caller referred to my age seven times during the course of a brief visit. I make no secret of the years I have spent upon earth, but scarcely think the matter of sufficient importance to the public to be made the sole topic of conversation."

Be careful how you criticize the efforts of the children. The clipped wing never grows again. Make it a matter of conscience never to mislead the child, for he is a traveler newly arrived from a strange country. Allow him as his world widens to have opinions of his own; let him be a personality, not a mere echo. Have faith in God for your sons and daughters. According to your faith so will it be unto you. Make your home the center of attraction to your children; let them feel drawn to you and it, like the needle to the pole. Respect the secrets of your children, but do not worry them to confide in you.

For some years the number of governesses in England has been steadily diminishing, that is of governesses who are only teachers. On the other hand there is an increasing call for ladies as nursery governesses to take charge of young children and impart elementary instruction. It is just the same in France with regard to English teachers, such demand as there is being almost entirely for nursery governesses.

PROPER DEPORTMENT FOR HELL. The "dangues" at a rehearsal of "Faust" were conducting themselves a little frivolously at one of the demon scenes when the ballet-master was heard to say: "Now, then, ladies, recollect you ain't dancing on 'ampstead Heath'; you're dancing in hell."—From Edmund

Miss Alice Roosevelt Will Visit Oakland.



ALICE ROOSEVELT.

The announcement that Miss Alice Roosevelt, daughter of the President of the United States, will be entertained by the Hon. and Mrs. Victor H. Metcalf at their home on this side of the bay, has caused a great flutter of anticipation in society circles.

Miss Roosevelt will be chaperoned officially by the wife of Senator Dubois, of Idaho, but the Metcalfs are to have the coveted honor of entertaining the distinguished guest during her stay here.

The leading society people on both sides of the bay are planning elaborate affairs for Miss Roosevelt, and the most important social functions of the year will be in her honor.

IN SOCIETY

OAKLAND CLUB ENTERTAINMENT

CLEVER SKETCH AND VAUDEVILLE NUMBERS ON PROGRAM.

The Oakland Club announces one of the unique entertainments of the year for Friday evening, May 26, planned for the benefit of the Probation Fund. The program includes an amusing sketch entitled, "The Evolution of an Advertisement," written by Mrs. W. S. Palmer, and produced for the first time. Besides this clever skit there will be a series of vaudeville numbers.

The heroine in the clever plot of the comedy represents a woman of the present day, whose husband insists on dismissing the Chinese servant, whom she has had in the family for ten years, because of the husband's dread of the "Yellow Peril." She finds that one of two roads she must follow in order to get a competent, intelligent housekeeper, and discarding the one which leads to the intelligence office, she follows that which ends at the newspaper office.

Never having written an advertisement and fearing to give offense if she uses the word "servant," she finds the wording of her advertisement a difficult matter.

She finally succeeds in the composition of one, which she believes will attract the right person, as a friend has instructed her, to make it "cute and catchy."

She inserts the following: "Wanted—An intelligent woman of refinement to assist in the welfare and

THREE CARD PARTIES TODAY

MISS DOWNEY, MISS MACDERMOTT AND MISS KUTZ ENTERTAIN.

entertainment of a small family. Good salary. Call the next day between hours of two and five."

Her word "entertainment" has attracted the attention of numerous entertainers, including a leading lady of the dramatic profession, a high art, colored lady with refined specialties; a physical culturist; Geisha girls; French opera singers; Ole Olsen trio; a vaudeville lady of decided Hibernian extraction; baby impersonators and others, who come to apply for the position and illustrate their work.

Her confusion and surprise gradually changes to a determination that she will get all the amusement possible out of the situation in which she ultimately succeeds. She also succeeds in finding a suitable housekeeper in one Jane Rossiter, a graduate of Boston Rossiter schools, and all ends well.

Mrs. J. J. Allen, an elocutionist of high order, impersonates the advertiser, and is assisted by able talent.

Oakland people will be pleased to see Miss Jane Kelton, who has kindly given her services for the occasion, though she is working hard rehearsing for her new season, which opens in San Jose next week. She appears in the sketch as a French opera singer and as a Geisha girl, and her personality will add much to the performance.

It will doubtless be interesting to see Sanford Bennett in the role of a baby, the role he lately created at the

Men and Women Alike Patronize Barber-Shop.

NEW YORK, May 19.—There is a barber shop in an apartment hotel on the upper west side almost as well patronized by women as by men. Of course, the women do not go there for shaves, but they are regular customers for all the other fixings of which the tonorial artists are masters.

Their particular passion is for the electrical massage treatment, and so great is the demand for it that two machines are busily buzzing the greater part of the day. They usually come tripping into the barber shop after breakfast and deliver themselves into the hands of the barber. The one most favored is a dark-skinned, handsome Spaniard.

They recline luxuriously in the chair and the barber proceeds to parboil their faces with steaming hot towels. Then he applies a liberal coating of cold cream, which he rubs in with his hands. Then the electrical machine is wheeled up and is set buzzing. Over and over miladi's face the little disc is passed, particularly over the temples, around the corners of the eyes, where may lurk some suspicion of crow's feet, and under the chin, too, if there is the least approach to a double chin to be seen. The disc is sometimes applied to the arms and chest and the women enjoy it hugely.

Occasionally they indulge in a shampoo, and afterwards have their nails manicured and likely as not will end up by climbing into the bootblack's chair for a "shine." They are as jealous as a man with only twenty minutes to catch a train over their "next," and woe betide the unfortunate individual who tries to butt in ahead of them.

The men patrons of the shop are so used to the presence of the women that they pay no more attention to them than to their own sex. Besides, they are nearly all residents of the hotel and so are known to one another.

California Club benefit at the Palace Hotel.

Miss Weber, late from Europe, a pupil of Gerster, who is said to have one of the finest cultivated voices on the Coast, will sing.

Milton Schwartz will give one of his laughable monologues, and Mrs. Briggs of San Francisco will sing, among other selections, one original song, written by an Oakland club woman, which has not yet been published.

The tickets can be obtained from club members or be purchased at the door that evening.

A large number of people are interested in the probation work being done by the members of the Oakland Club, and the success of the benefit is assured.

A LUNCHEON.

The Women's Auxiliary of St. Paul's Church announce an elaborate luncheon to be given Wednesday, May 24.

CARD PARTIES.

Miss Jean Downey entertained this afternoon at one of the elaborate card parties of the season, given at her Berkeley home. The home was attractively decorated with pink roses, and about seventy guests from Oakland and San Francisco enjoyed the delightful affair.

The honored guests were Miss Ethel Whitney, Miss Lillian Downey, Miss Helen Chase and the Misses Meyer of Menlo Park. The real motive of the gathering, however, was the formal announcement of the engagement of the charming hostess, Miss Jean Downey and Hugh Goodfellow.

Miss Kittle Kutz entertained sixty young friends at a card party given today at her Madison street home. Miss Lally, the charming fiancée of Arthur Kelly, was the motif for the delightful affair.

Miss Flora Macdermott presided this afternoon at one of the most enjoyable card parties of the season, planned in compliment to Miss Ada Kenna, whose engagement to Murray Orrick was announced recently.

QUIET WEDDING.

The relatives and friends of Arthur Turnbull, of Fruitvale, were surprised Turnbull, of Fruitvale, were surprised today to learn of his marriage last Wednesday at San Jose to Miss Eva M. Speegle of this city.

The marriage was a secret kept even from the closest friends of the young people until the announcement today. The ceremony was performed by Frank H. Benson, Justice of the Peace of San Jose.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. Speegle of Paso Robles, one of the pioneers of the State, and a sister of Mrs. P. J. Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Turnbull will make their home in this city, where the groom holds a position with the Southern Pacific.

HAS RETURNED.

Mrs. Lee Chamberlain has returned from visiting friends in Auburn.

TRIP ABROAD.

Mrs. Lucie May Hayes will leave shortly for an extended trip abroad. Mrs. Hayes will meet Mrs. Emma Spreckles Watson in New York and they will sail early in June for Europe, going later to India.

DINNER GUESTS.

Miss Ethel Havemeyer was hostess last evening at an elaborate dinner given at the Claremont Country Club in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Havemeyer, who are on a visit

here from the East.

Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. George W. McNear Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Macdonald, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lacy Bratton, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew L. Stone, Mrs. Havemeyer, Mrs. J. C. Tucker, Miss McNear, Miss Bernice Macdonald, Paul Miller, Benedict Taylor, Mrs. Havemeyer, and several others.

CARD PARTY.

Mrs. Florence Wing has invited about forty friends for a card party and garden fete to be held at her attractive Piedmont home next Thursday afternoon.

AT CLEAR LAKE.

Miss Bernice Macdonald leaves next week for a stay at Clear Lake where she will spend some time as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hammond at their country home.

AT BROOKDALE.

Mrs. Frank J. Woodward and children have gone to pass the next three months at her summer home at Brookdale in the Santa Cruz mountains.

INFORMAL DINNER.

Miss Malvina Dodge will be guests of honor at an informal dinner to be given this evening by Mrs. B. J. Hoffacker at her home on Pacific avenue. Miss Dodge is to become the bride of Mead Hamilton on Thursday of next week.

GOING SOUTH.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lacy Bratton are planning to leave shortly after the first of June for Santa Barbara, where they will remain for several weeks.

ARMOUR-TUTTLE.

One of the pretty weddings of the week took place Wednesday afternoon in the Swedborgian church across the bay when Miss Jessie Tuttle became the bride of Robert Armour of Washington, D. C.

The bride's gown was of white net over chiffon and taffeta and her bouquet was a shower of orchids tied with white tulle. The church was prettily decorated with greens and there were no attendants or ushers, the guest list including only relatives and most intimate friends.

After the ceremony at the church the guests assembled at the home of the bride's father, Captain Francis Tuttle on Pacific avenue where there was an informal reception and a wedding supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Armour have gone on a wedding trip and on their return will make their home in San Francisco.

A Chinese marriage is a solemn ceremony—no talk, no levity and much crying. After the exchange of presents the bride is dressed with much care in brocade or silk, her eyelashes are painted a deep black and she wears a heavy red veil attached to a scarlet headdress, from which imitation pearls hang over her forehead. A feast is spread upon a table to which the blushing bride is led by five of her friends. They are seated at the table, but no one eats. When the mother starts crying the maids follow and the bride joins in the chorus. The bridegroom now enters with four friends. They pick up the throne on which the bride sits and, preceded by the bridegroom, form a procession and walk around the room or into an adjoining room, signifying that he is carrying her away to his own home. The guests then throw rice at the happy couple, a custom we have borrowed from them.

GERMAN YACHT LEADS IN RACE ACROSS OCEAN

PENSACOLA BASEBALL TEAM, CHAMPIONS OF UNITED STATES NAVY.

"Sammy" Knowles Has Fast Aggregation of Stars.

Games played 27
Games won 25
Games lost 2

That is the record made by the Pensacola baseball team, composed of young men attached to the Naval Station at Goat Island, thus far this year. This record is all the more remarkable when it is considered that the Pensacola team has been up against some of the best organizations in the State.

That the Pensacola team has been so successful in baseball society is due largely to the efforts of "Sammy" Knowles, captain and manager of the wearers of the capital "P." You have to hand it to "Sammy" when it comes to directing the affairs of nine men on a baseball diamond.

The popular little captain and manager is an enthusiastic fan, and knows the game from page 1 to "Finis."

And out in the garden he can play some. He handles everything that comes out to left field wry in State league style.

All games for the Pensacola team are arranged by "Sammy" Knowles, and the team has a contest on for tomorrow with the Fort Baker band of leather students. The game is to be played on the Goat Island diamond.

Another good man on the Pensacola nine is Constantine, first baseman, who has played in the State League for the Heesemans of Oakland. The Pacific Coast League is not too good for him.

He has been out of the game the past few weeks because of illness, but will probably play Saturday. Brooks has been holding down the initial sack.

Recently the Pensacola team has defeated the Japs, 11 to 8; Deaf and Dumb Institute, 13 to 0; San Francisco Fire Department, 12 to 0; Custom House, 7 to 1; San Francisco Police



PENSACOLA BASEBALL TEAM.
G. J. Lavery, right field; E. Brooks, first base; D. J. Fowler, center field; W. R. Samuels, sub.; F. Jones, third base; E. D. Shay, s. a.; O. F. Burk, second base; C. A. Barngrover, pitcher; S. A. Knowles (captain and manager), left field; H. B. Pool, catcher.

Department, 6 to 4.

With a crippled team, Pensacola went against St. Mary's best team and lost out by a close score of 8 to 9.

With regular teams in the field an-

other game between these two crack teams would be something joyous and the odds would probably favor the boys from the Naval Station.

A good schedule of games is being

arranged by Manager Knowles, and when the season of 1905 closes there will be something radically wrong if Pensacola is not ranked as one of the best baseball teams in the State.

Incidentally, Pensacola is the champion naval team of the United States, having decisively defeated the New York, heretofore considered the best among the wearers of the blue.

Schooner Hamburg, When Boats Were Last Seen, the Atlantic, American, by Mile and a Half

NEW YORK, May 19.—The German schooner Hamburg was leading the ocean race for the Kaiser's cup early Thursday morning, according to reports brought in by the steam yacht Oneida, which followed the racers' one hundred and thirty miles out from Sandy Hook.

A mile and a half behind the Hamburg was the Atlantic on the same tack and footing at a great rate.

Both boats were crowding on all the sail they could handle close hauled, and were beating against the 15-knot breeze blowing from the northeast.

E. C. Benedict, owner of the Oneida, was on board and when he headed back to New York at dawn Thursday the weather was so thick that nothing could be seen of the other contestants in the trans-Atlantic race until 10 o'clock yesterday morning, when the Ailsa was sighted.

She was only seventy-five miles out and the Oneida was not able to learn what had delayed her. She appeared to be making good headway, and to be driving hard to make up lost ground.

The other vessels in the fleet scattered early in the race, and are probably hurrying in widely divergent courses.

In the time elapsed from the start of the race until the Oneida turned back, the Hamburg and Atlantic had made good progress, footing fast all the way. Both boats were admirably handled and took advantage of every possible point.

HAMBURG IS SURPRISE.
The showing made by the Hamburg was a big surprise to those watching her and the opinion was expressed by the returning yachtsmen that if the German yacht and the Atlantic have equal luck with the weather, they will furnish as pretty a race as could be wished for, the issue probably depending on the choice of a course.

Both are likely to go well to the north, chancing danger to the limit of reasonable safety, hoping to get strong winds in the northern circle.

As to the Ailsa, it is surmised she must have met with an accident, having made only seventy-five miles in twenty-two hours. Whatever the trouble was, it had been repaired, for no sign of disability was apparent to the Benedict party.

APACHE OFF TRACK.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Since leaving the starting line of the yacht race at Sandy Hook lightship at 12:34 p. m. Wednesday until sighted by the Grosser Kurfurst at 10 p. m. Thursday, the Apache has sailed a distance of approximately 139 miles eastward. During this time she has averaged a little over 5.05 miles an hour.

Continuing at this rate of speed it would take her almost twenty-five days to cover the distance between Sandy Hook and Lizard Head.

WEST OAKLAND ATHLETE CLUB'S AMATEUR FIGHTS NEXT TUESDAY NIGHT.

The card of amateur bouts which the West Oakland Club will provide for its show next Tuesday evening is undoubtedly the best ever offered at the club, and will no doubt provide an excellent evening's sport.

The card consists of the usual four-round bouts, and as all the contestants are getting into excellent shape, some hot battles will be in order.

FIRST BOUT.

The first bout brings out Bili Johnson, Oakland Wheelmen, and Kid Richardson, Sunnyside Club, at 125 pounds.

Johnson recently boxed at the club and won his fight in a decisive style, and gained a host of admirers by his excellent showing.

His opponent comes with an excellent record and this bout will no doubt be full of action from start to finish.

DUFFY-McCARTY.

The next bout is between Ed Duffy, Victor Club, and Mike McCarty, West Oakland, at 165 pounds. Both are aggressive boys and will put up a rattling go.

Then Hop Lee, W. O. A. C., and Jack

Dere, North Oakland Club, will appear.

Hop Lee boxed Jack Cooley at a recent show and put up a hurricane bout. His opponent is a promising pupil of the North Oakland Club, and comes with a guarantee that as a boxer he is first class, and can be relied upon to put up an excellent bout.

TWO MIXERS.

The next bout brings out two who will mix it from start to finish. This will be a hot one and will be full of action. It will be between Kid Franks, W. O. A. C., and Kid McCarthy, Oak-

land, at 130 pounds.

The next bout will call Al Pasoch, Sunnyside Club, and William Gunther together. Their bout was a hot one at the last exhibition, and was declared a draw, and as both are anxious to settle the question as to who is the better man, no doubt their meeting will be a corker.

The main event brings out Young Gaulty, W. O. A. C., and Harry Tenny, champion bantam of the Coast. Gaulty has yet to be defeated, and has always put up a good bout. He realizes

when he goes up against Tenny, he has the hardest job ahead of him that he has ever tackled.

He is working hard for this bout, and will be in the best possible condition.

Tenny has had sixteen knockouts to his credit in his battles, never taking more than four rounds to do the trick, and feels confident of taking Gaulty's measure.

All the contestants are getting into excellent shape, and will be fit to put up red-hot bouts.

OAKLAND LAD IS FAVORITE LONG vs. HYLAND.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE.)

GRASS VALLEY, May 19.—Never before in the history of pugilism in Nevada county has there been so much interest taken in a fight as is being shown in the match between Louie Long, of Oakland, and "Fighting" Dick Hyland, of San Francisco, which takes place before the Miners Athletic Club at Grass Valley, on the night of May 27.

Long is the lad who knocked out Aurelio Herrera, the Mexican, at Montana last year, and Hyland is the lad who fought Frankie Neil at Frisco recently for the featherweight championship.

LONG FAVORITE.

Hyland is training at Grass Valley, while Long is doing his work at Nevada City. Much betting is being indulged in, and Long is a slight favorite.

Long's trainers have him in excellent shape; his staff of handlers was increased yesterday by the addition of Jack Slattery, a new sparring partner.

EXCURSION TRAIN.

James Roach, president of the Miners' Club, has received many orders for seats from out-of-town people. Excursion trains will be run from Marysville, where Long is a great favorite, and from Sacramento, where Hyland is well liked.

The winner of this contest is to meet Young Corbett in Grass Valley on June 15.

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

(THE TRIBUNE is receiving numerous queries relative to sporting matters from subscribers, who depend upon the columns of this page to settle their disputes. It has heretofore answered such queries through the mails, but the number of questions of general interest has so increased that it is deemed expedient to establish a query column. Only questions of general interest that cannot be answered by search of the ordinary books of information will be answered.—Sporting Editor.)

Sporting Editor TRIBUNE: Is the catcher of a baseball team guilty of an error when he makes a wild throw to second base? If the catcher throws fairly to second and the ball is not stopped is the second baseman or shortstop guilty of the error?

A READER.

Answer—"The rule in regard to errors reads: 'An error shall be given for each misplay which prolongs the time at bat of the batsman or allows a base runner to make one or more bases when perfect play would have insured his being put out. But a wild pitch, a base on balls, a base awarded to a batsman by being struck by a pitched ball, an illegal pitch, a balk and a passed ball, or error of which the batter is not held, shall not be included in the seventh column.'

"An error shall not be charged against the catcher for a wild throw in an attempt to prevent a stolen base, unless the base runner advances an extra base because of the error."

"An error shall not be scored against the catcher or an infielder who attempts to complete a double play, unless the error be so wild that an additional base is gained."

"In case a base runner advances a base through the failure of a batsman to stop or try to stop a ball accurately thrown to his base, he shall be charged with an error and not the player who made such throw, provided there were occasion for it. If such throw be made to second base the scorer shall determine whether the second baseman or shortstop shall be charged with an error."

Sporting Editor TRIBUNE: If in a game of outburst a catcher has 9 points, B has 4 and C has 9, B is dealing, but

passes the deal to C, who makes spades trump, with ace of diamonds, ace of hearts, ace of spades, queen of spades and 9 of spades, and B has right and left lower, king of clubs and ten of hearts and A has king and queen of diamonds, queen and nine of hearts and queen of clubs, and if C leads with the ace of diamonds and A follows with the king of diamonds, what should B's play be?

J. E. R.

Answer—B's play should be to sucher C.

Sporting Editor TRIBUNE: When and where was the second annual tournament of the American Bowling Congress held?

W. L. S.

Answer—Buffalo, N. Y., January 20 to 24, 1902.

Sporting Editor TRIBUNE: Was W. H. Sigourney of San Francisco ever beaten at billiards by C. Norris of New York?

SUBSCRIBER.

Answer—Yes; in the amateur championship tournament at New York in February, 1902. In the play-off of the tie for first honors Norris beat Sigourney in a close game and then challenged Wilson P. Foss of Haverstraw, N. Y., the previous holder of the amateur championship. Foss won by a score of 500 to 461. Both games were 14-inch ball line. In the tournament Norris' highest score was 82 and that of Sigourney 61.

Sporting Editor TRIBUNE: Has an English boat ever won the international yacht race for the America's cup?

R. L. E.

Answer—Not since October 13, 1871, when the Livonia beat the Columbia over the New York Yachting Club course. The Columbia was disabled, but finished the race.

LEVY SECURES JULY PERMIT.

Morris Levy of the Hayes Valley Athletic Club across the bay has secured the fight permit for July from the Board of Supervisors. Levy is ever wide awake and he showed considerable diplomacy in obtaining the coveted permit, as Sam Berger worked hard to secure it for the Western Athletic Club.

Berger declared that his club had already signed Britt and Nelson for a match in July and that both had posted forfeit money.

This statement was combatted by Levy, who said that Nelson was signed by the

Hayes Valley Club. Levy, as usual, won and Berger was "turned down" by the Police Committee of the Supervisors.

The Lincoln Club secured the permit for August. Edgar Peixotto, William Greer Harrison and others appeared before the committee and received the assurance of the board that no more permits for amateur contests would be granted until the persons interested could agree upon better regulations for the bouts than those now in force. It is also prescribed that all the clubs giving such contests shall belong to the Pacific Amateur Association or some organization of the same character and standing.

WILL LEWIS WHIP "BAT" NELSON?

Another event that has the live ones working hard on the dope books these days is that coming mixup over in Philadelphia on the 23d between Willie Lewis and Battling Nelson.

The Battling Dane is expected to be the next opponent for Jimmy Britt, the event to occur across the bay probably in July. Many pugilists experts in this city think Nelson is foolish to take a chance with a man of the caliber of Lewis in the meantime.

Benny Garson, who seconded Young Corbett in his first fight with Battling Nelson and who has seen Britt fight, says that neither of this pair has anything on Lewis and, further, that Lewis has a wallop harder than either of them.

LIKE LEWIS.
Lewis is liable to do all sorts of things to Nelson in a six-round bout, says Garson, or in a twenty-round one, for that matter. Taking as the principle dope their two fights with Martin Canole, Lewis has all the better of it, took Nelson eighteen rounds to stop him, while Lewis knocked out the crack New Englander in just half that time.

Lewis has such a bunch of knockouts to his credit that he is called the Rib Smasher, for which reason he is not generally given credit for being able to box. I've seen him in action, and as a matter of fact he is far cleverer than most people imagine.

CAN BE DONE.

"If he fights Nelson over in the Quaker City I'll be at the ringside and I won't make any promises not to say about 35 cents or so that Lewis will stop the fight inside the hour. Because Young Corbett, Jimmy Britt, Herrera and others have been unable to put the Dane down, it is not a sign that it cannot be done, and if it can be done there is no man better fitted for the job to my way of thinking than Willie Lewis."

SULLIVAN AND MITCHELL SIGN

TACOMA, Wash., May 19.—John L. Sullivan and Charles W. Mitchell have been matched to box fifteen rounds in Tacoma on Tuesday, September 19, 1905.

There were the usual "ifs" and "buts," but neither principal displayed any tendency to dodge the issue. Sullivan was first to sign, and to an admonition to wait a minute," replied: "What for, ain't it settled?" and attached his signature.

Mitchell picked up the pen, and with a broad smile remarked, "After you, John," and his name was quickly lined beneath that of Sullivan.

Sullivan and Mitchell had a stormy conference last night at the Butler Hotel, where the articles were arranged, but today all was sunshine.

The date fixed for the match is a compromise between two weeks and five months.

"SPIT-BALL" IS NOT NEW HE SAYS

After all that has been said and written about the "spit" ball copyrighted by "Happy Jack" Chesbro, of the New York American League Club, it is quite refreshing to hear what the pitchers of other days have to say about the new fangled invention which seems to be the hoodoo of batsmen.

"So far as I have been able to study the 'spit' ball," said C. S. Merritt, at one time regarded as the best amateur pitcher in Chicago, "I do not see how it differs in any way from the old high in-shoot to which Adrian C. Anson resorted in our talk on the subject while I was in Chicago last week. That it is not a new development of curves we both agreed."

PITCHERS TALK.

"Pitchers are prone to talk of new curves that are likely to fool batsmen, and newspaper reporters in the dull season of the game like to get fresh copy, as they call it. Not so many years ago we heard of the 'snake' curve, and even nowadays the players talk in mysterious whispers of a ball which curves in more than one direction."

"This is all nonsense, for the reason that when a ball has once left the hand of a pitcher it can take only the one curve he can impart to it by the twist as it leaves his hand. It may drop suddenly, but that is due to the varying control of speed in the delivery."

"A high in-shoot, which seems to now be called a 'spit' ball, has always been a terror to batsmen for several reasons, chiefly that absence of control made its course very deceiving. Since the distance to the pitcher's box has been increased Chesbro appears to have acquired exactly the right control."

STRAINS WRIST.

"Chesbro is now experiencing the same trouble I had in using this ball, which is very apt to strain the wrist because of the snap required for the sharp curve. There is no doubt that Chesbro has demonstrated his ability to make this ball effective, but if the result would tend to develop a lasting injury to his wrist I would not recommend any of the young pitchers to try it."

Mr. Merritt was at one time the leading pitcher in the Chicago Amateur League, in which he one year won twenty-three out of twenty-four scheduled games, also defeating the teams of the Western and National leagues. He developed from that same class of prairie players in which Fowler was a star and was obliged to "turn down" an offer of \$2500 a year from G. E. Spalding because of an astigmatism and lack of desire to become a professional pitcher.

GEO. GARDNER AND STIFT MATCHED

OGDEN, Utah, May 19.—George Gardner, of Lowell, Mass., and Billy Stiff, of Chicago, have been matched to fight here May 28.

"999 Cups and Saucers." You will never see the like for some time. See them at H. Schellhaas' Corner Store, Eleventh street.

LOCALS DROP ONE UP NORTH

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

San Francisco 6, Portland 3.
Seattle 6, Oakland 4.
Tacoma 2, Los Angeles 0.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Tacoma	25	16	.618
Oakland	25	19	.568
San Francisco	24	21	.533
Los Angeles	18	22	.450
Seattle	19	24	.442
Portland	16	26	.381

By bunching errors Oakland lost yesterday's game to Seattle.

"Buck" Francis made a glaring error in the fifth inning, aided by Byrnes' foolish throw, gave Seattle four runs when two men were out.

For Seattle Kemmer was the only man to make an error. He missed a pop fly and allowed a bunt to roll through his legs.

But Kemmer atoned for his faults by bringing in two runs with his stick.

Shields didn't throw a curve yesterday. He sent 'em straight and struck out six men.

Pitcher Schmidt only fanned one party, but his delivery was steady.

The second game of the Tacoma-Los Angeles series went to Tacoma yesterday.

Good ball was pitched by both Thomas and Baum, except in the fourth inning, when Baum allowed two hits, which, aided by an error, netted two runs and won the game.

GREGGAINS IS OUT OF BUSINESS

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—Sheriff Curtis sold the goods in the saloon of Greggains & Sullivan at 112 Ellis street to I. Oppenheimer for \$1700. The sale was for the benefit of numerous creditors who had placed attachments on the place in sums aggregating some \$10,000. The principal creditors were Treadwell & Co., liquor dealers, and Martin Kelly, the latter having a claim of \$7000. Oppenheimer was directed to remove the goods he purchased and a lively dispute was waged between Treadwell and Kelly over the possession of the lease of the saloon. The matter will probably be taken to the courts for settlement.

CHALLENGE PORTLAND HIGH ACADEMIC TRACK MEET?

BERKELEY, May 19.—If satisfactory arrangements can be made, a dual track and field meet will be held between the track teams of Berkeley High School and Portland High School, during the carnival of athletic events to be held there this summer.

A letter has been written to the northern school by the Berkeley team, asking if they would be willing to defray half of the expenses and meet Berkeley in such a contest.

STRONG TEAM.
Berkeley high is considered to have one of the strongest teams in the Academic Athletic League of California, going north several days before the meet so as to give the athletes a chance to see the exposition.

It is the belief of the local athletes that a dual meet between high schools of Oregon and California would attract a great deal of attention and draw a large crowd, so that the expenses could be made easily.

A meet at an exposition has never been held before in the West between interstate teams. It would probably take place some time in July, the team going north several days before the meet so as to give the athletes a chance to see the exposition.

DARING ROBBERY OF DIAMONDS

CHICAGO, May 19.—After cutting telephone wires, leading to the jewelry store of Louise Antoine, in North avenue, three young robbers last night fastened the front and rear doors of the place with iron bars, then smashed in a large plate glass window in the front and escaped with diamonds, rings and gold watches valued at \$2500. The theft was committed in exactly the same manner as the robbery of the jewelry store of T. D. Lande, in West Madison street, last Tuesday night, and the police are convinced the same men were engaged in this robbery. The raid occurred while the street was lighted brilliantly, and while scores of persons were passing.

BULLET GOES INTO FOOT.
Oscar Dittmore, who lives at 822 Franklin street, and is employed at Fischer's Bakery, accidentally shot himself in the right foot last night with a 22-caliber rifle. At the time of the accident Dittmore was loading the gun for sale, and the hammer caught in his watch chain, causing the

shot to be fired. It entered the instep of his right foot, lodging between the second and third toes. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital and the bullet extracted by Dr. L. L. Riggan.

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Section 2. Said Oakland Traction Company shall have the right to acquire by purchase or otherwise all the above mentioned right, franchise and privileges for the purpose of operating said streetcar line between the points hereinafter named, and to lay down, construct, operate, maintain and repair said street railroad for all purposes to which street railroads are entitled; and it is hereby granted that the right to carry passengers and freight upon said streetcar line for the term of fifty (50) years from the date of the date when this ordinance takes effect.

Section 3. Said street railroad shall consist of single or double track, and the rails shall be laid in a good and substantial and workmanlike manner, and as far as possible in such a manner as to present the least possible obstruction and inconvenience to public travel, and the cars run thereon shall be of the most approved pattern for comfort, convenience and safety.

Section 4. Said street car or other vehicle may be operated by electricity, steam, compressed air, or any other mode of operation as may be authorized by law, except steam locomotives.

Section 5. The tracks, side-tracks and

side within the rails and must have a space between them sufficient to allow the wheels of the cars to pass without their permanently laid shall be as nearly as possible in the middle of the above mentioned right-of-way. The portions of said public highways so occupied by said tracks side-tracks and crossovers shall be not less than twenty (22) feet in width at any point of the above stated route. No stations shall be located on any of the public highways without the approval and consent of said Board of Supervisors;

Section 6. Single fares on said street railroad shall be as now provided by law;

Section 7. Said Oakland Traction Consolidated, its successors or assigns, must be provided with the same kind of material with which other portions of the public highways adjacent and moved in the same length as the said public highways used by said track of tracks between the rails and for two feet on each side of the rails and for two feet on each side where there is more than one track, and keep the same constantly in repair, flush with the surface of the public highways, and said Oakland Traction Consolidated, its successors or assigns, shall be provided with the same kind of material to provide the entire length of said public highways used by said railroad or any other street railroad in the City of Oakland, to the said County of Alameda one dollar per day for each and every foot of track or crossing so maintained, or its successors or assigns, shall

Section 9. Work to construct said street railroad must be commenced within four (4) months from the date of the adoption of this ordinance, and the said work must be completed within one (1) year thereafter over the entire route unless the uncompleted portion thereof be abandoned and the said work be approved in said Board of Supervisors.

Section 9.5. Said Oakland Traction Company, its successors or assigns, shall lay the tracks for said street railroad in accordance with the plans and specifications under the direction of said Board of Supervisors and the County Surveyor of said County, and shall be liable for damage to any public highway over which said street railroad is to run shall be made good by the said company with the approval and approval of said Board of Supervisors;

Section 10. In case said street railroad shall be operated by electricity, the poles used upon said public highways to support the same shall be of the same approved pattern in use for electrical railroads and of wood or iron, and the same shall be of sufficient strength to support the weight of the wires, except underground wires, shall be of sufficient strength to support the weight of the wires as to avoid obstruction to the ordinary use of said public highways.

Section 11. Cars must be operated over said street railroad in each direction in accordance with the following rules:

Section 12. All mail carriers in the City of Oakland, employed by the City of Oakland, shall be paid for the following times while engaged in the actual discharge of duty, shall be permitted and allowed to ride the City of Oakland streetcar, railroad, without paying any sum of money whatever for fare or other charges.

Section 13. Said Oakland Train Consolidated, its successors or assigns, shall be granted a franchise, to be named thereby two per cent (2%) of the gross receipts of such franchise. No percentage shall be paid for the first five (5) years succeeding the date of the franchise, but thereafter such percentage shall be paid annually; and in the said said payment is not made said franchise shall be forfeited.

Section 14. Said franchise shall take effect and be in force fifteen (15) days after its passage, upon the publication of the same in the City of Oakland.

Section 15. The following resolution was adopted and approved at a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the City of Oakland, held on the 11th day of May, 1905, on motion of Supervisor Talbot, seconded by Supervisor Talbot, to the following vote:

JOHN MITCHELL,
Chairman.
Attest: JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.

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